

# THE WEATHER

Snow late tonight and on Sunday; somewhat warmer to-night, colder Sunday.

# THE LOWELL SUN

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LOWELL MASS. SATURDAY FEBRUARY 19 1921

PRICE TWO CENTS

## MUST CUT INTO BUDGET FARTHER

Slashes Must Be Nearly Doubled to Keep Tax Rate Low

Mayor Talks Economy But Seems Not Anxious to Practice It

Proposition May Be Made to Cut Wages of Employees of City

The municipal council has completed the first stage of making a financial budget for the year. It has cut about \$220,000 from the estimated expenditures. It must bring the items \$427,000 additional to bring the costs of government down to the level of last year. As matters now stand, the city is in for an increase of about \$3.50 in the municipal tax rate for this year. This figure is wholly exclusive of the taxes for state and county purposes, which may bring the rate up close to, if not above, \$5.

The cut that has already been made in the estimates has been brought about by a process closely analogous to pulling teeth from an unethicized patient.

Each commissioner in turn has parted with appropriations for his department, with reluctance that might be expected from those who were giving away favors calculated to win the favor of the recipients and be paid for from what has come to be looked upon as the public's money.

The council is to begin Monday on making some sort of an effort to convince the public that it is making a mighty struggle to cut the estimates still further.

The mayor of late has shown some Continued on Page Three

## NOT A VERY LOVING COUPLE

Tyngsboro Man in Police Court on Assault and Battery Charge

Intimated That There Was Mother-in-Law in the Case

Trouble Started Over Right of Way to the Kitchen Sink

That her husband slapped her, seized her by the throat, ejected her from their dwelling, and otherwise misused her was charged today in the police court by Mrs. P. D. Gath, who complained of assault and battery. Frederick D. Gath, the husband, alleged in rebuttal that she broke a plate over his head, locked him out of his house, and used improper language to him. The couple, who reside at Tyngsboro, have been married more than ten years, and have six children.

The quarrel in course of which Gath was charged with assaulting his wife originated, it appeared from the testimony, in a dispute concerning the right of way to the kitchen sink. Mrs. Gath stated that she desired to get to the sink while he was there, that he pushed her and made threats against her if she repeated her efforts to gain the sink. She wished to see whether he would follow his menaces, she declared, and found that he would. She admitted striking him with a plate, but stated that this occurred while she was on the floor and he was standing over her. When he pulled her up, she said, he used a vile name with reference to her.

She conceded that she had locked the door while he was outside attempting to enter. She stated that this was done "to protect herself."

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## Mayor Thompson and Election Commissioner Harrison In Verbal Battle

### TWO TAKEN IN GUN BATTLE

Suspects Held in Connection With Hold-up of Mail Car in Minneapolis

Bandit Held Up Three Clerks, Shot and Probably Fatally Wounded One

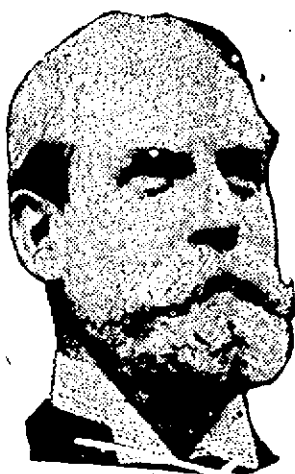
MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 19.—Two suspects arrested at Little Falls today after a gun battle with officers were held in jail in connection with the investigation of the holdup of a mail car of a Northern Pacific train last night. One of the men was slightly wounded in the head and a deputy sheriff suffered a minor wound in his hand.

A lone bandit held up three clerks on the mail car of train No. 8, east bound North Coast limited on the Northern Pacific railroad, shot and perhaps fatally wounded one man and escaped with registered mail worth approximately \$100,000.

C. E. Strong of Minneapolis, a veteran in the railway mail service, was shot three times when he attempted to frustrate the robbery by throwing an iron bar at the bandit. His condition today was said to be critical.

The bandits boarded the train at St. Cloud, Minn., the last stop before reaching Minneapolis, 65 miles away. He presented a pass, believed to have been forged, and entered the mail car. He conversed with Strong and his assistants until the train passed through Duluth, 35 miles from here, when he pulled a gun.

Harry Christensen was ordered to bind his fellow clerks with wire. Strong resisted and was shot. Christensen then was forced to open a registered mail sack and the bandit swept its contents into a grip. As the train slowed down on the outskirts of Minneapolis, the robber dropped off and disappeared.



CHARLES E. HUGHES

### HUGHES ACCEPTS POST

Selection of New York Man to Be Secretary of State Announced by Harding

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 19.—Selection of Charles Evans Hughes of New York to be secretary of state, was definitely announced today by President-elect Harding. Mr. Hughes has accepted.

### END SHIPPING BOARD PROBE

Congressional Investigation Closes With Examination of Sec. Payne

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Congressional investigation of the shipping board ended today with the examination of Secretary Payne, a former chairman of the board, by the special committee. A report on the results of the inquiry, which has been continued intermittently for 18 months, will be submitted to the house before March 4.

Secretary Payne told the committee that when he became chairman of the board after the war, he found accounts in bad shape and that he caused the dismissal of several officials and abolished several bureaus. The secretary of the interior also criticized the provision of the merchant marine act creating a board of seven members. A single executive, he argued, should be placed in control. The provision directing the president to abolish commercial treaties also was attacked.

Mr. Payne said he was convinced that the government could not successfully operate merchant vessels in competition with private shipping interests and also said American passenger lines could not compete with foreign liners unless permitted to sell intoxicants during voyages.

All but two of South Dakota's gold mines were closed in 1920 due to the high cost of mining.

### Ready Money

A Savings Account with us is available the very day you need your money, and it is always earning interest.

SAVE YOUR MONEY. Some day you are almost sure to need it.

This bank is a member of Federal Reserve System, "Uncle Sam's Bank," and is almost 100 years old.

### Old Lowell National Bank

88 Prescott St.

### Joint Meeting

All Councils A. A. R. E. R. Lowell and vicinity Sunday, Feb. 20, 7.30 P. M. HIBERNIAN HALL, Very Important Business

### PERSONALITIES INDULGED IN

And More or Less Remote Portions of Municipal History Revealed

Harrison Maintains That the Mayor Promised to Vote for Him

Mayor Perry D. Thompson and Election Commissioner Frederick Harrison, defeated for office recently at an election held by the members of the municipal council, engaged in a verbal battle in city hall today, in which personal charges of a kind to stir both combatants to the state of anger in which they were for most of the time, were prominent features. Recent, and more or less remote portions of municipal political history were openly revealed with only a representative of The Sun present to act as referee and attempt to pour oil on the troubled waters of strife when they reached the point where it seemed that a hurry call for the police might become a necessary, if not prudent, precaution.

How It Began A precursor to the coming affray happened in the mayor's office, when, in the presence of the assembled press, the mayor announced that he proposed to have the defeated election commissioner summoned to his office that he might hear charges that Mr. Harrison had made against him openly denied.

He said that Mr. Harrison had claimed that the mayor had promised to vote for him at the recent election. The mayor said that he had told Mr. Harrison, when he personally solicited his vote, "Mr. Harrison, you know exactly where I stand in this matter; Abel R. Campbell is my candidate and I propose to vote for him."

The mayor said that he had told Mr. Harrison that it had been his policy while in office to never vote to put an inefficient man holding office in city hall out of place. He said however that he had told the election commissioner that he would support Mr. Campbell.

Told McOsker "I told H. C. McOsker, chairman of the election board the same thing, and asked him to tell Mr. Harrison what I had said. Later Mr. McOsker told me that he had delivered the message," said the mayor.

Harrison admitted that under normal conditions he had never voted a man out of office. I voted for Campbell three years ago, and I voted for him this year because I did not think conditions were normal.

"Summon Mr. Harrison to my office at once," the mayor delivered the order to his private secretary, Arthur Woodley.

After Mr. Woodley had left on his mission the mayor said, "I have recommended Mr. Harrison to be placed in office to never vote to put an inefficient man holding office in city hall out of place. He said however that he had told the election commissioner that he would support Mr. Campbell."

Mr. Woodley delivered the message from Mr. Harrison that he refused to listen to the invitation to visit the mayor's office, that he would not accept any conditions he might be offered, but that if the mayor wished to see him he would give him a chance to tell all about how it ought to have happened in the election commissioner's office in the basement.

"I am not going to chase after the mayor," Mr. Harrison is reported to have replied. "If he wants to see me, let him come where I am; what is he afraid of?"

Mr. Harrison's statement that the mayor was responsible for his defeat has been curdling the milk of human kindness in the mayor's mind for several days. He continued, more or less at length, to criticize his behavior, and to assert his own devotion to the cause of Abel Campbell.

The incident, apparently having been closed with the failure of the election commissioner to answer the summons of the city's chief executive, a visit was paid to the office of Commissioner Salmon. He admitted that he had been a witness to the scene in which Mr. Harrison had informed Mr. Woodley that he had declined instructions to visit the mayor's office and that the chief executive could go away back and sit down or come down a couple of flights of stairs and pay him a visit in the election commissioner's headquarters. See Next Edition

## OFFICERS RAID "LINE HOUSE"

Find Manuel Reams Was Manufacturing Moonshine on His Premises

But Place of Manufacture Was on Chelmsford Side of the Line

Liquor Squad Summons Chelmsford Police—Moonshine Maker Fined \$100

Officers of the liquor squad found that Manuel Reams was manufacturing moonshine on his premises, but said premises are partly in Lowell and partly in North Chelmsford. The portion where the making of the forbidden fluid was going on, it was discovered, lay in the latter place. Consequently, the officers were unable to capture the still, and were obliged to send for Chelmsford officers before the distilling works could be confiscated.

This peculiar mixup in jurisdiction, however, did not save Reams from a fine of \$100, which was imposed this morning in the police court. Officers Kivlan and O'Sullivan had been watching the place, but when the question of capturing the still arose, measurements disclosed that they were obliged to let the work of moonshine making go merrily on until action could be taken from the Chelmsford side of the premises.

Fire-Court Drink O'ly Bourgeois, charged with drunkenness, appeared in the police court this morning with evidences of having again fortified himself with liquor before coming to court. This fact was commented on by Judge Enright, who asked the defendant if he is unable to let liquor alone. It was testified that sometimes Bourgeois has fits of sobriety and ceases from his potations, and the court advised that he acquire one of these fits immediately. He was continued on Page 10

## IRISH RELIEF FUND

You Have Helped Other Poor Nations, Governments and Organizations Can You Forget Ireland's Homeless, Hungry Persecuted Victims of England's "Black and Tan?"

Get Your Name On the Honor Roll and Help to Make It Grow. IT'S IRELAND'S VALLEY FORGE. PLEASE DO YOUR DUTY

Make Checks Payable to Stephen Flynn, treasurer, 145 Moore St. Contributions received by the following committee in respective localities:

Lowell Trust Co. J. O'Sullivan, Associate Bldg. Mrs. Bridget Leonard, 1 Dutton Michael Donoghue, 260 School Mrs. Helen Beatty, 322 E. Merrimack Dr. J. T. Donohue, 3 Rundles Bldg. Mrs. Mary Craven, 450 E. Merrimack John Curran, 14 Mt. Grove Patrick Kinnick, 65 White Miss Mary Farrell, 105 Crawford Miss Elizabeth Roach, 85 Moore Daniel Dillsworth, 95 Agawam Middlesex Trust Co. M. J. Sharkey, 213 Central St. John McInerney, 320 Thorndike Maria J. Starkham, 267 Middlesex William Kelley, 591 Wilder James Heaney, 55 Pine John C. Rourke, 10 Walden James Mahon, 57 Bellevue Thos. Nevin, 160 Fulton St. Michael Nugent, 18 E. St. John Tully, 813 Chelmsford Joseph Ryan, North Chelmsford.

List Published in Press—Official Receipts Given

## ASSOCIATE HALL

Every Saturday Night

CAMPBELL'S BANJO ORCHESTRA—8 Pieces

A place to sit down and enjoy good music

ADMISSION 35¢, TAX PAID

## Merrimack Garden TONIGHT

MINER-DOYLE'S ORCHESTRA

"The Music Just Makes You Dance, You Won't Want to Sit Down"

TAX — 35¢ — PAID

## DANCING TONIGHT

A. O. H. Hall—149 Middle Street DIXIELAND JAZZ BAND — ADMISSION 35¢

## DANCING — WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

AFTERNOON AND EVENING Associate Hall, by the Crimson Club CAMPBELL'S GREAT ORCHESTRA — DANCING 7 TO 9, 8 TO 12 Subscription 40¢, Tax Paid

## Investigates Destruction by U. S. Marines

SAN SALVADOR, Feb. 18.—Rear Admiral Henry P. Bryan, commanding the United States navy special service squadron, has arrived at Comito, Nicaragua on his flagship the Dolphin, to investigate the recent destruction by American marines of the newspaper plant of the Tribuna at Managua, says a despatch. It is reported the American marines will be withdrawn to Campo Marte, the despatch adds, only a guard being left at the American legation in Managua.

## Held for Robbery of \$149,000

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Chicago police said today they had in custody the man who robbed a messenger for John McKenzie, a New York broker, of \$149,000 in money and securities last December. The prisoner, who is known as John Tiernan, and also as John Thompson, denied the charge.

## Caruso's Struggle Apparently Won

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Enrico Caruso's struggle for life began last Tuesday night, when he suffered a heart attack, apparently has been won, Dr. Antonio Stella, his personal physician said today. Dr. Francis J. Murray said that Caruso had the best night since his relapse.

The following official bulletin was issued today: "Mr. Caruso has continued to improve. Although the fever has not subsided his course is progressing in a satisfactory manner."

Invitations to Architects for the Submission of Plans for the Construction of a Fire Engine House on Pine and Stevens Streets.

Invitation is extended to architects doing business in the City of Lowell to prepare and offer a sketch or plan for the construction of a fire engine house at the corner of Pine and Stevens Streets in the City of Lowell on a lot of land containing approximately ten thousand square feet. Said fire engine house to be of the bungalow type and to be constructed of fire proof materials in every respect.

The plan, sketch or rough drawings are to be intended as an aid and guide to the Commissioner of Water Works and Fire Protection, together with the Commission of Public Property and Licenses for the selection of a plan and design and the employment of an architect creating the said plan to be selected, said Commissioners reserving the right to reject any or all of said drawings which may be submitted. The plan of the land may be seen at the office of the City Engineer at any time. The plans and drawings prepared must be filed at the office of the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses on or before March 1st, 1921.

The fire engine house shall contain one living room, kitchen and one dormitory large enough to accommodate six men, with one extra room for clerks' quarters. The building shall be necessary to accommodate one Triple Combination Pump Motor Drive Apparatus. The drawings to be required shall be a plan of the basement and the first floor and the elevation to be at the corner of Pine and Stevens Streets, the building to be placed in the center of the lot, scale to be 1/4" = 1'.

The purpose, however, of this invitation is to enable the Commissioner of Water Works and Fire Protection and the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses to select an architect to prepare the plans and drawings for the construction of said fire engine house.

All architects intending to submit rough sketches or plans are requested to meet the Commissioner of Water Works and Fire Protection and the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses at the office of the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses on Wednesday, February 23rd, between 11 A. M. and 1 P. M. for the purpose of advising with them concerning the type, character and kind of building desired.

(Signed) JOHN F. SALMON, Commissioner of Water Works and Fire Protection. GEORGE J. MARCHAND, Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.

**St. Anthony's Parish**  
— GRAND —  
**SACRED CONCERT**  
Opera House  
Tomorrow Evening  
AT 8 O'CLOCK  
Tickets on Sale at Steinert & Sons and Opera House

**WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTION**  
30 MIDDLESEX ST. LOWELL, MASS.

**CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS**  
174 CENTRAL STREET  
Last three dividends 5% at the rate of

**OPEN MEETING**  
Amalgamated Textile Workers of America  
Hamilton Hall, Odd Fellows Bldg., 51 Middlesex St.  
SUNDAY, FEB. 20, AT 2.30 P. M.  
All Textile operators are invited.  
General Secretary A. J. Musto of New York will address the meetings and there will be other prominent speakers.  
MICHAEL CASEY, Pres.  
ALICE DEVINE, Rec. Sec.

**SMELLS**  
There is always some new Smell. Smelling or about to Smell in this locality. Yet our olfactory nerves are such that we seem always to be unable to agree on Good Smells or Bad Smells. What is food for one is poison for another. We have known men who loved the Smell of Whiskey. Indications are that many dislike its Smell, yet many such we have known have acquired an ability to survive it. In fact even to have become a part of such Smell. But we were speaking of Smells that were. Speaking of future Smells, Smells that have not yet Smelled, why worry until we Smell the Smell and why not mean-while Smell out some of the Bad Smells that were. We must forget to speak of a Smell that does Smell good. It's the Savings Account that pays

Per 5 Cent  
Where such rate was paid last year  
**MIDDLESEX SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CO.**  
Merrimack Corner Palmer St.

**SMELLS GOOD**  
11.30 A. M.—2.30 P. M.  
**SUNDAY**  
CHICKEN DINNER with all the fixings. One of the old-fashioned kind.  
\$1.00 — \$1.00  
**NEW AMERICAN RESTAURANT**  
Next Strand Theatre

**TONIGHT**  
Fresh Shoulders  
13 1/2c lb.  
**Flynn's Market**  
137 Gorham St.

**Joint Meeting**  
All Councils A. A. R. E. R. Lowell and vicinity  
Sunday, Feb. 20, 7.30 P. M.  
HIBERNIAN HALL,  
Very Important Business

**BASKETBALL**  
Bates College vs. Lowell Textile  
— TONIGHT —  
Textile Gym., 8 O'Clock  
DANCING





# DEMOCRATIC LEADER WANTS TO CLEAR DECK FOR REPUBLICANS

No Certainty as to Whether Gillett Will Be Retained as Speaker---Yale Athlete Starts Congressmen On Health Stunts

Special to The Sun.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—Democratic Floor Leader Underwood has shown splendid co-operation in getting appropriation bills speeded up in the senate. A few days ago he said in reply to questions by the Sun correspondent, "I believe we should pass such bills and so give the incoming administration a clear field to begin the work the republican party has pledged itself to carry out. I do not believe in a filibuster to put the bills over to the extra session in the spring or do anything that will willfully obstruct the routine work of the last days of congress. In my opinion the bills will probably pass, unless some hold-up comes from factional difference on the republican side of the senate." Mr. Underwood, who followed Mr. Hittcock in floor leadership is highly esteemed by men of both parties. "He is a worthy foe," said one of the republican leaders recently. "He always fights fair. He is uncompromising in the defense of what he believes proper and wise democratic principles but he never resorts to tricks or subterfuge."

At this moment harmony prevails in the senate. Except a disposition on the part of Senator Borah to delay the navy appropriation bill scarcely a rift exists in republican insistence to carry out the desire of Mr. Harding and get routine and appropriation bills out of the way and so give the extra session a chance to begin the work for which it will be called, which includes revision of the tariff, peace with Germany, various treaties with foreign nations and general reconstruction work to put the country back on a normal business and industrial basis after the long war period.

There is a disposition for republican team work in which the democrats apparently do not intend to interfere during the closing weeks.

The Extra Session

The date of the extra session is still in doubt, but it is expected definite news on that subject will be given to the country in a few days. The senate is known to prefer a short recess only, say, from ten days to two weeks or thereabout, while the house believes it should be for at least a month in order to give time for organization of congressional committees, give the president time to get his bearings and make the necessary appointments to commissions and heads of bureaus, and also give the new cabinet an opportunity to get settled to its important duties.

Mr. Harding is taking advice on the best course to pursue and it is expected an informal announcement will be made this week.

President's Health Improves

President Wilson is showing some improvement in health, although still very feeble. He, this week, visited his executive office for the first time since his illness nearly two years ago; he went to the theatre twice within a month and walked with only the assistance of a stout cane, although he was accompanied by two men who walked close to his side ready to assist in case of possible mishap. In making his visit to the executive office the president walked unassisted a few yards in crossing the short passage which separates the White House proper from the office in which the cabinet meeting was held that day. Since the president's illness, but few meetings have been held and those attended by him, have always been held in his private study to which he was carried in his wheel chair. It is understood that he will go to the capitol when the session closes at noon March 4th so to sign eleventh hour bills as they pass. That of course depends largely on his condition at that time and also on the state of the weather.

Winslow Railroad Bill

The Winslow bill permitting the United States treasurer to make to railroads partial payments of the sums due them from the government under the government control period, is expected to help New England roads out of some of the embarrassments from which they suffer. The interstate and foreign commerce committee of which Winslow of Massachusetts will next session be chairman and of which Merritt of Connecticut is the other New England member, secured the passage of a bill through the house which will be of great benefit to New England industries by relieving the congestion which now exists, to freight from the west to the New England states. The new bill provides for the construction of a railroad bridge across the Hudson river at Castleton, New York, which would go far towards making another gateway for New England freight, as it would do away with the congestion of freight which now occurs at Albany.

Will Gillett Be Re-elected Speaker?

There has been considerable talk

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STRENUOUS OPPOSITION

N. E. Traffic League Against

Great Lakes-St. Lawrence

River Project

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Strenuous opposition to the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence river tidewater project by the New England Traffic League, is urged in a report of a special committee of the Boston chamber of commerce made public today. The recommendation is signed by W. H. Day, R. J. French and A. H. Ferguson, who were named last fall for an exhaustive study of the proposition.

"Your committee has made every effort to study this matter from a broad-minded viewpoint," the report says. "It has, however, had to be mindful of the fact that its study of the proposition was mainly for determining what the effects would be on the future industrial and commercial prosperity of New England should the project as proposed be carried out."

"For specific and vital reasons your committee has come to the conclusion that the New England Traffic League should offer its strenuous opposition to the proposed improvement of the international waterway which would more likely accrue to the benefit of the Dominion of Canada, rather than to the section of the country which is so energetically pushing the same."

More than one-half of the taxation which would be levied in the United States for the cost of the waterway which is estimated at from \$100,000,000 to \$300,000,000, it was pointed out, would fall upon New England, New York and Pennsylvania, while the return would be slight in comparison.

Opening of a passage from the Great Lakes to the sea is discounted as a business aid to this section of the country by a statement of commodities shipped.

"The tonnage of American grain shipments which might use this route," the report continues, "taking the combined shipments for export through the ports of Boston, Philadelphia, New York and Baltimore, would not be sufficient to warrant the expense even if the cost of rehandling at those points be considered."

Of the hundred million tons of freight carried by water each year, only one million tons are carried on the Great Lakes, the report says. Ninety million tons of steel and coal sent to Lake ports which never saw tide water. On this basis it is forecast the St. Lawrence river waterway would be but a fifth wheel in the wagon of transportation.

The remaining 10 million tons of freight consisted of grain, flour, lumber, pig iron, etc. Of this, the committee says it was estimated by one having an expert knowledge of export, less than 5 per cent of the grain was sent to foreign countries and a greater part of this represented Canadian shipments.

"This clearly indicates that Canada probably would be more greatly benefited by the completion of the proposed waterway," the report adds, "than would the states of this country who claim to be so vitally interested."

NEAR EAST FUND GOES ON GROWING

Sympathy for the starving children of the near east continues to be strong in Lowell, and contributions for their relief continue to flow into the hands of the committee having the matter in hand.

Some of the latest gifts to the fund have been as follows:

Previously reported \$3205.57

Hadley St. Baptist church 5.50

Lawrence Street Primitive 23.29

Methodist church 23.00

Art. Pollard Co. 145.00

North Baptist church, North 105.00

Billerica 105.00

Congregational church Sunday school, Billerica 105.00

Total \$3533.57

GIVEN WELL-FILLED PURSE

Timothy D. Finnegan, president

Municipal Employees' union, who

recently lost the right of his right eye

by being hit with a piece of flying

steel while performing his duties in

the city blacksmith shop, was presented

on Thursday evening with a purse

containing a substantial sum of money

contributed by his fellow employees.

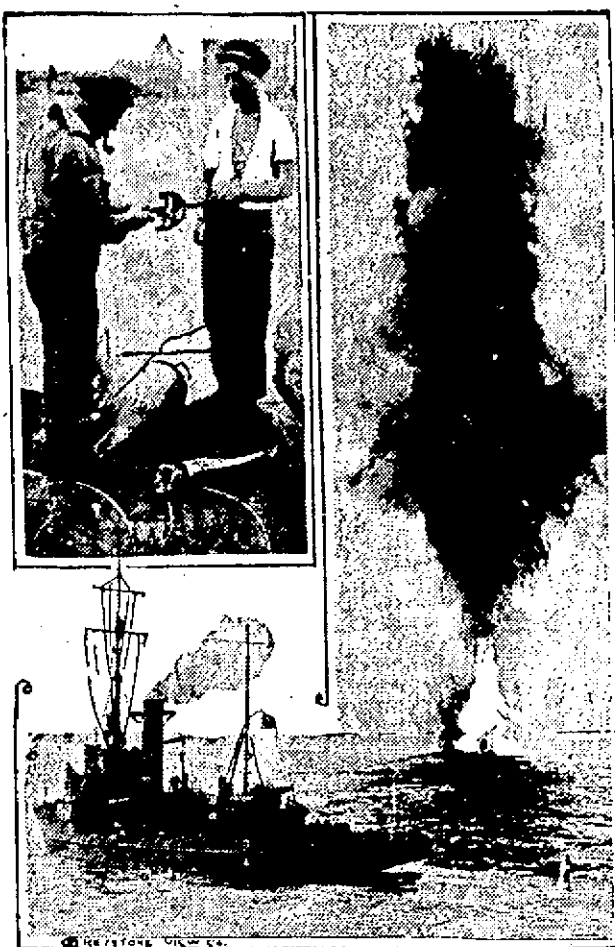
Mr. Joseph P. Garity, in behalf of the donors, made the presentation at Mr. Finnegan's home, 22 Agawam street.

Mr. Finnegan in response thanked one and all for their generosity and kindness.

Mr. Finnegan has been in the employ of the city for the past 33 years and is held in high esteem by his fellow employees.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The annual republican caucus for the nomination of candidates for town officers of the town of Tyngsboro will be held at the town hall next Monday evening.



## GERMANY SWEEPING UP HER MINES

Germany under the peace treaty is clearing the seas of the mines she laid during the war. Old mine-layers and U-boats, that laid many of the mines, and revamped torpedo boats are now sweeping up and exploding the mines. Those which cannot be reached at present are marked with buoys. Below is a mine layer setting off an old mine by time clock apparatus which enabled the ship to reach safely before the explosion. Above, sailors are attaching electric wires to a mine-catching torpedo.

## Investigate 3000 Ft. Drop From Airplane

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 19.—An investigation of the fall of a mail airplane near Menlo, yesterday in which Pilot C. E. Eversole escaped injury by a parachute drop of 3000 feet is to be conducted here it was announced today. Witnesses said the plane continued its course with both motors running after Eversole jumped. The jump, postal officials say, was prompted by a desire for publicity. This was denied by Eversole, who said his machine was out of control.

## President of Czecho-Slovakia Ill

PARIS, Feb. 19.—Prof. L. G. Masaryk, president of Czecho-Slovakia, is in a critical condition, says a Prague despatch received here. He is suffering from phlebitis, an inflammation of the inner membranes of the veins.

## Deny Viceroy's Train Held Up

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Reports from Allahabad, India, that a train on which Baron Chelmsford, viceroy of India, was traveling from Delhi to Calcutta, had been held up by extremists, were officially denied here today. It was said the viceroy had been compelled to return to Delhi from near Allahabad.

## Belated Touch of Winter in Southwest

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 19.—A belated touch of winter came to the southwest today. Snow ranging from four to 15 inches was reported from various points in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas, with the storm steadily moving northward. Missouri towns reported lowering temperatures with prospect of snow. Oklahoma City had 12 inches early today with no sign of the storm's abatement. Horticulturists generally were said to be apprehensive as the mild weather of the last weeks has started fruit tree buds in some localities.

## Henry Stanford, Prominent Actor, Dead

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The death of Henry Stanford, actor, at his home at Great Hills, N. Y., was announced today. He first appeared in New York in 1900 with Sir Henry Irving and Ellen Terry in "Robespierre." He also appeared here in "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall" and "Peg O' My Heart." He was 52 years old.

## Goes to Rome to Receive Red Hat

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—Archbishop Dennis J. Dougherty left Philadelphia today for Rome where he will receive the red hat of a cardinal from Pope Benedict.

## Three Made Marshals of France

PARIS, Feb. 19.—The promotion of Generals Louis E. M. F. Franchet d'Esperey, Louis Hubert Gonzalve Lyautey and Marie Emile Fayolle to be marshals of France, was announced today.

## THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE ORGANIZE AGAINST TORTURE

## Wide-Spread Agony Has Awakened Interest in Years of Suffering

## Constipated People Recommend and Speak Highly of Wonderful Toxo Treatment

Thousands of Lowell people suffering from constipation, indigestion and other ailments are finding their champion in the Toxo treatment.

Ever since the first day that the Toxo treatment was offered to the Lowell public to help prevent the poisoning of their system and to relieve their stomach ailments, it has been a huge success.

Toxo had found many friends in Lowell, for it has helped them. Testimonials are too many to print, but have given us assured proof and evidence of the success of this fifteen-day treatment.

When you are troubled with any sort of stomach ailment, your first thought should always be of Toxo, the treatment that gets at the root of the trouble and corrects it.

Toxo has proven most effective in relieving stomach ailments for the past 15 years. It creates mild action and does not force the bowels to strain, and it gives the bowels a thorough cleansing and does not give cramps.

One of the Lowell folks who has used Toxo says: "I had been troubled with stomach trouble, indigestion and dyspepsia. I kept feeling burning pains in my chest and finally when I commenced to lose my appetite I thought I would see a doctor. However, I happened to remember seeing the story of Toxo in The Lowell Sun and I thought I would give it a try. Since taking the Toxo treatment, I have not been troubled at all. My appetite is better than ever and I never give a thought to my stomach, eating whatever I feel like. I cannot say too much for Toxo and will gladly recommend it to all my friends."

Such reports as these are numerous in Lowell. Toxo is good for all stomach ailments and should be procured at once if you or your family are troubled in this way. It is a good thing to keep Toxo in the house at all times. Toxo is for sale in Lowell at Down Drug Store on Merrimack street.—Adv.

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## Must Cut Into Budget Farther

Continued

Signs of being anxious to climb back on his economy pedestal. He has not expressed disapproval, however, of various proposed salary grabs, including those of the city treasurer's and the city clerk's offices.

### Janitors' High Pay

He was not at all troubled, apparently, when the school department representative announced that it proposed to buy several new planes and increase the already high pay of janitors this year.

It cannot be doubted that the announcement that a committee of the chamber of commerce wished to be present and have a hand in budget making, was something of a blow to the heads of the financial wizards who, in the face of falling costs for all the city uses, proposed by a species of ledger-math to engrave a large increase on the tax rate and do it in such a way that a plausible tale can be cooked up to convince the taxpayers that no other outcome was possible.

Unless the plans of some of the city fathers fail to materialize, the committee of the chamber of commerce will be present to appear, unless some forgets that it has been promised that it shall have a chance to be heard, and the result of its investigations and lamentations, if it makes any, will be about as valuable as a fifth wheel to a coach if policies are not changed.

### Courteous Attention

The plan appears to be to give all that the committeemen may have to say very courteous attention, and then when the chamber's representatives have been bowed out into the corridor, there will be a covert smile or two at the childlike innocence and trustfulness of "janitors" in general, and the budget items will be put over in accordance with plan determined in advance.

It is understood to be possible that the chamber's committee will demand that a cut shall be made in wages and salaries paid to city employees that shall be equivalent to the cuts that have been made in private life. It is expected that they will point out that thousands of workers in industry have had their pay cut 23 per cent and that there is no reason why the employees of the city should not be cut to a similar extent.

### A Difficult Position

The members of the council realize very clearly that they are in a difficult position. About the only source of further economy is in a cut in salaries and wages. If a cut is made in these items, such resentment will be raised in city hall as will be necessary and sufficient to cause the council to back out. If it isn't made, the council will be out in full force next election and ready to hit indiscriminately at any head that had a part in making the salary grab.

### LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Edward R. Peirce, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Charles H. Barnes, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said county, on the eighth day of March, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. LESTY, Register.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said county, on the eighth day of March, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on day at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. LESTY, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of William Curran, late of Westford, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to William H. Curran of Westford, in the County of Middlesex, in said county, and all known persons interested in the estate are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said county, on the first day of March, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on day at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. LESTY, Register.

of the mayor's real devotion to economy is that he dropped the grossly exorbitant estimate for the municipal isolation hospital only a few thousand dollars, and failed to state that he had cut out any salaries or wages, or that he had chopped off the roll any superfluous employees or had reduced the nepotism that confines several salaries in a single family.

In considering the estimates for the street department, one is reminded of the famous bill rendered to Falsburg in which figured many gallons of sack, but only two penniesworth of bread."

### For Payment of Salaries

There is item after item for the payment of salaries and wages, but it is difficult to see that any considerable sum of money is allowed for material for the men to work with. Apparently Commissioner Murphy has been so busy doing up the wage scales that he has forgotten entirely that it might be desirable for them to have or few yards of asphalt or a few paving blocks to afford them an opportunity for making at least a bluff of toiling for the city.

The school department has proved the sufficient prodigal in making its demand for an appropriation \$174,600 larger than the expenditures for last year. In the time when many families are finding it difficult to make both ends meet, and extravagances have been largely cut out, the committee proposes a number of luxuries such as new pianos, and it proposes to raise higher the pay of some of the school janitors who are already, considering their duties, one of the highest paid classes of labor in the employ of the city. With large numbers of men walking the streets of the city, and crowding the corridors of city hall every day, a considerable number of whom are capable of and would be glad to take janitors' places at much lower than the present rate of pay, the committee proposes to raise their pay without a protest.

### Padded the Estimates

The committee has plainly enough padded its estimates to the last possible limit. It has placed its estimates for coal at a price at present day prices. Its chairman said that all he knew about the prices for books was what book agents had quoted him from their price lists, but that he did not believe that, even in the course of falling prices for most other commodities, book prices would fall.

The item of pay for day school janitors shows an increase in the budget of from \$25,353 to \$123,356.

The salary of the "business agent" is to continue to be larger than that received by the mayor.

It is so cost \$1700 for the payment of the officers who work only about eight months in the year, and whose duty it is to look after the small boys who occasionally play hooky from school.

### Was At Sea

When the "business agent" was called upon to account for an increase of nearly \$2000 in the item for "repairs" in his department he appeared to be entirely at sea as to what the money was to be spent for or why any increase should be necessary.

About everything that the department might consider a necessity for maintenance of its work appears to be carried under an itemized account, but for good measure the item "all other supplies" is put down as calling for an expenditure of \$11,300 against \$36,208 spent last year. In a time of falling costs for everything, the item "total expense and supply schedule" has been raised from \$140,295 to \$145,500.

### The Registrar of Labor

The office of "registrar of labor" has already been referred to in The Sun. The way in which the need for municipal economy presses heavily upon the consciences of the municipal councilors is shown by the way in which the \$700 salary and \$50 for expenses was treated when it was reached.

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## TOM MARSHALL'S YARNS

## TURN THE TABLES

(Special to The Sun)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—When Vice President Marshall lay down the gavel in the senate on March 4 there will be genuine regret. Marshall has dignified the office of vice president by kidding it harder than anybody else—and then bringing humor and courtesy to it.

He plans to go upon the Chautauqua circuit and he will be a headliner.

An example of his facility in meeting any situation, awkward or unpleasant, is shown by two of his prize stories. He was in a company of jubilant republicans who were gloating over the late election landslide. The gloats grew more and more pronounced and the dreams of future money and more glory. Then Marshall was given a chance to say:

"Well you folks are feeling mighty cocky. That's all right. You're telling what you are going to do. 'That's all right.' I'm going to walk right up Fifth avenue with a white cat on each arm. What are you going to do, boy?"

"Boy, when I get ashore, do you know what I'm going to do? Well, I'm going to get me a white hat and a white coat, and white pants and white socks, and white shoes, and white gloves, and a white cane. I'm going to walk right up Fifth avenue with a white cat on each arm. What are you going to do, boy?"

"Well," said the other, "I reckon I'll get me a black coat, and black pants, and a black tie, and black shoes and a black cane. I'm going to walk right up Fifth avenue with a white cat on each arm. What are you going to do, boy?"

"But," continued the vice president, "I shouldn't say anything. We democrats shouldn't talk just now. No, we are like the colored congregation that ran short of communion wine."

"They asked one of the sisters who was especially kind in some of the more modern domestic arts and science to manufacture a supply. She couldn't get her usual ingredients so she made her wine out of persimmons—green persimmons. It was good stuff. I had a kick. But after communion the congregation was so puffed it had to whistle the doxology."

"That's us. If we can't sing we can whistle."

## WHAT POLICE FIND

## IN MEN'S POCKETS

What do men carry in their pockets? The question is one which interests us all for all of us have found that we have a tendency to lug around on our person small objects of every description, some of them useful, but many of them merely what may be described as clutter.

The things taken from arrested persons at the local police station, and locked up for safe keeping, offer an indication of the type of articles which have the greatest habit of finding their way into pockets and remaining there. Of course, nearly every person who is taken into custody usually has some money, although the amount may be small. A good deal of sorting out may be necessary sometimes, as nails, campaign buttons, and other objects of all sort are frequently mingled with the

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currency found in the possession of these persons. Men customarily carry a wallet of some sort, containing their bills, if they are the happy possessors of any, while they leave their change loose in their trousers pockets. One man who gave himself up recently, and who was subsequently found insane, had two fifty dollar Liberty bonds in his pocketbook.

Many men also exhibit a fondness for art, and are laden with photographs or pictures, often in postcard form. Representations of more or less beautiful women, which are sold as art by certain kinds of vendors, also are revealed when some men are searched. These pictures may or may not be of a respectable nature.

Many old-timers, of course, have their well weathered pipes, and these offer a remarkable example of the versatility of the pipe manufacturer. There are long and short, plump and lean, ornate and simple pipes. But be they impressive or homely in appearance, these symbols of the power of her who among the devout is known as the Goddess Nicotina always seem to be treasured possessions. The hands of which place these pipes away, to be

kept until the release of their owners, are watched eagerly, lest any harm befall them often powerfully fragrant trophies.

Drunkennes is a failing common to many otherwise respectable mortals, as the testimony of many police officers has demonstrated. So it is not surprising that religious articles sometimes find their way to the little hags where the possessions of prisoners lie until their cases are disposed of.

But religion does not always seem to bulk large in the lives of individuals. The "literature" garnered upon some who come within the police net is of a nature far from pious.

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\$1.00 values ..... 79c—\$1.50 values ..... 98c

GINGHAM PETTICOATS, in plain blue, gray or striped, good wearing for every-day wear. \$1.00 values ..... 79c  
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FLANNEL BLOOMERS, for children and women, cut large and well made, light colored stripes. 89c values ..... 49c  
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FANCY WHITE BLOUSES, made of fine voile, in a variety of styles, trimmed with pretty lace or embroidery, all new models. \$1.00 values ..... 79c  
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WOMEN'S DRAWERS, of good underwear cotton, trimmed with ruffles of pretty ham-burg. 79c values ..... 49c

BRASSIERES of heavy cambric, made on body-fitting lines, wide lace or ham-burg trimming. 79c values 49c—\$1.00 values 69c

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WHITE PETTICOATS, with deep flounces of ham-burg or fine lace. \$1.00 values 79c  
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FLESH COLOR BLOOMERS, cut full and made with strong elastic, also a few in white. 49c values 35c—79c values 59c

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## REPORT OF BIRTHS

Feb. 6.—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Melhais of 13 Fourth street, a daughter.

Feb. 8.—To Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Seward of 92 Avon street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Robey of 356 Colonial avenue, a daughter.

Feb. 10.—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Burke of 277 Thorne street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Duguay of 15 Mt. Vernon street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. John Boudier of 23 Keene street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zayas of 322 Adams street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. William B. Smith of 82 Dover street, a daughter.

Feb. 11.—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cloutier of 131 Lakeview avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gonzalez of 7 Ames street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Alexis Ducharme of 223 Lakeview avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. McMahon of 25 Congress street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Elphège Bergeron of 116 Gershwin avenue, a daughter.

Feb. 12.—To Mr. and Mrs. Elie Chénard of 22 Tucker street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leclair of 5 Milley avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cormier of 3 Lagrange street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lambert of 22 Dracut street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ignazio of 9 Cherry street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Octave Roy of 123 Moody street, a son.

Feb. 13.—To Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Joyal of 14 Willie avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. James Nutter of 12 Oak street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bartholomew of 93 Kingston street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Powers of 35 Fort Hill avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Leford of 16 Andrews street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. James Sawers of 13 Powell street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. James Karadenos of 212 Worthen street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Owens of 167 Concord street, a daughter.

Feb. 14.—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Smith of 145 Branch street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lambert of 903 Middlesex street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hickey of 333 Fairmount street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. James S. McDermott of 60 Corbett street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Cazanias of 805 Broadway, a daughter.

Feb. 15.—To Mr. and Mrs. Jesse E. Marshall of 532 Moody street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Renaud of 26 Grand street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Segueira of 8 Clark court, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Foley of 275 Chelmsford street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John Callahan of 123 Salem street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis of 201 Middlesex street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eastwood of 27 Chestnut square, sons, twins; to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murphy of 1 Caldwell avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Savard of 160 Alken street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Sheppard of 81 Carolyn street, a daughter.

Feb. 16.—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haskell of Central street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Armand Hebert of 75 Worthen street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Bedard of 230 Riverside street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nolia of 93 Hall street, a son.

Feb. 17.—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Webb of 34 W. Hovers street, a daughter.

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Examinations for promotion of officers in the Lowell High School regiment were held in the high school annex in Paige street yesterday afternoon.

It was the first examination in which the new khaki uniforms were worn by the privates and the first in which ability to command decided the selection of a colonel and other high officers. Previously, the colonel and regimental officers have been selected by written examination. The results of the examination will not be announced until such time as the scholarship ranks of the various candidates are reckoned in with the percentage obtained in their examination yesterday afternoon, which will possibly be one week from next Monday.

Individual set-up and carriage was marked on a percentage basis of 100; exercises in Butt's manual on the percentage basis of 50; and the manual of arms and company maneuvers on the basis of 100 per cent each, thus making a total of 300 per cent for perfect.

The examinations were for promotions of captains to colonel, majors

and regimental adjutant, four first lieutenants to captains, four second lieutenants to first lieutenants, and from present sergeants, four second lieutenants, one regimental sergeant major, major, two battalion sergeant majors and six first sergeants.

Candidates are examined along the following lines: Discipline, posture and carriage, and exercises in Butt's Manual, manual of arms, and company maneuvers. The judges of the examination were Charles A. Ranlett, major of infantry, R.C. U.S.A., a senior instructor in military drill for the Boston high school, and First Lieutenant Joseph Driscoll, instructor, and First Lieutenant James J. Kelley, assistant instructor. Driscoll is a veteran officer of the world war, and Kelley, an ex-regular officer.

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## RIALTO THEATRE

Story of "Go and Get It" Newshy at the Rialto—Marshall Nollan's Success, "Dinty" Opens Monday

The characteristic life of the average American newshy striving in a big city to gain the head of the newspaper and help support his beloved mother and sister is faithfully depicted in Marshall Nollan's latest success, "Dinty," which opens a three-day engagement at the Rialto theatre next Monday afternoon. In the leading role is little Wesley Barry, the freckle-faced youngster who has carried laughable parts in the recent newspaper sensation, "Go and Get It." "Daddy Long Legs," "Don't Ever Marry," and whose talents are more naturally adapted in this latest starring vehicle than any he has undertaken thus far.

In addition to "Dinty," the program for the next three days of the week will carry a first National comedy, "Skipper's Treasure Garden," a western melodrama, "Tex of the Timberlands," episode 14 of "Bride 13," which is next to the last of that startling serial, and the Fox news. For Thursday, Friday and Saturday the attractions will be Ora Carew in an appealing story, "Mountain Madness," Bernard Durning in "Seeds of Vengeance," a thrilling episode of a new serial picture, "Fighting Fate," which features William Duncan and Edith Johnson, an educational comedy, "A Home-Run Hero," and the Fox news.

For Sunday the pictures will be Elaine Hammerstein in "The Woman Game," Bryant Washburn in "Skinner's Baby," and four acts of high class vaudeville, featuring a well known favorite, Annette Luvick, in songs and specialties.

In producing this human interest story of the newshy life Mr. Nollan has surrounded Wesley Barry with an excellent cast of players, including such favorites as Colleen Moore, Harry Sherry, Marjorie Daw, Pat O'Malley, Noah Berry, Tom Gaffney, Kate Price, Tom Wilson and Newton Hall. The balance of the cast includes Walter Chumey, a young Chinaman, and Arthur Mitchell, a pickaninny who play the part of Dinty's chums in his fights and pleasures. The latter probably bring more humor and pathos into the picture than anything else.

Many of the remarkable scenes in this picture were taken along San Francisco's waterfront and some remarkable effects in underworld life and poverty stricken homes are said to be effected. David Kesson was the photographer, and Ben Carr, the art director. The picture is released through the Associated First National pictures.

## B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Paul Decker, Famous Legitimate Comedian, at Keith's Theatre Next Week—Excellent Sunday Concert

Special performance at the B. F. Keith theatre tomorrow afternoon and evening will see the Quincey Four headlined with Joe Cook, Sam Liebert, Co. and Marion Clare, selected from the present week's bill. Newcomers for the day will include Bert Stoddard, Britt & Mace, and Wright & Anderson. This should prove a specially engaging lineup of acts for the day.

Attention is called in this place to the fact that three shows will be given in Washington, D. C., beginning respectively at 2, 4, and 8 p. m.

Paul Decker, an admirable light comedian, with a delightful comedy by Billy Burke called "Sam." Mr. Decker was leading man for May Hobson for six consecutive seasons, appearing with her in "The Education of Aunt Mary," "A Night Out," etc. He has also appeared with Sam Bernard, May Irwin, Blanche Ring and James T. Powers. This new act in which Decker is written around the fact that successful fathers like to think of the time when they will have their sons for junior partners. Sentimental in this affair, and more often it does not. One of the instances in which it did occur is told in this delightful comedy.

Old Syncopeation must have had a very large family, for every act and then there crops out a new and very bright member of it. The latest is Dolly Kay, who describes herself as "Syncopeation's Clever Exponent." Miss Kay is prettily and alive all of the time, for this quality of being alive is absolutely necessary if syncopeation is to be put over successfully.

Morton Jewell & Co., in "Different Things," offer a vaudeville musical song, dance and matter are the parts used for the whole, and two men and two women axes in bringing forward the different good things which are placed on top.

Sailor Reilly, who used to be an entertainer on the battleship Michigan, is now having his very best of pianists. His songs, he chat-

## MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

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COMEDY, "THE SLICKER"—NEWS MAGAZINE—TOPICS OF THE DAY

THURSDAY—Mack Sennett's "A Small Town Idol"; Doris Keane in "Romance"

SUNDAY—June Caprice in "In Walked Mary"—Connie Talmadge in "Happiness a la Mode"

ters and he plays, and he is always good natured. Billy Aloha is an Hawaiian and with him is a girl who lives on this very pretty act. The shown goal will be the conquer of the girl and Aloha and Sterling will present a gymnastic exhibition that is fast and furious.

## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"A Nutmeg Match," Old New England Rural Comedy Drama, Attraction at Opera House Next Week

The holiday week attraction at the Opera House, beginning with matinee on Monday, will be the grand old New England rural comedy drama, "A Nutmeg Match," which will be given in these parts for the first time at popular prices. The Lowell Players, unquestionably rated as one of the strongest and best stock companies in the east, will find this play an excellent vehicle in which to demonstrate their unusual accomplishments.

"A Nutmeg Match" is an episode of Connecticut and is a bright, domestic picture of the times. Natural life with an injection of action that is enjoyable, a good dialogue, and possessing a story that is well told. Miss Marguerite Fields, the talented leading woman, whose versatility has long ago been demonstrated to the entire satisfaction of all, will appear in the role of "Cinders" and she should score heavily, while Miss Florence Hill, the clever ingenue, will be seen as "Princess" a part that will afford her excellent opportunity to please her many admirers and friends. The others of the cast, including Milton Byron, Maxwell Driscoll, Miss Patricia Knowlton, will also be found in congenial roles. Jack Bennett, who will appear in one of the characters, will also direct the production, which fact carries with it every assurance of a finished performance.

The piece has several entertaining melodramatic features, which will be carried through with the same satisfactory results of former productions. The most soul-stirring, pulse-quickening stage sensation of the period is the rescue, by "Cinders" of her lover from the death-dealing blow of the giant hammer.

A big demand has been made for tickets already. Better make early application and thus avoid possible disappointment. Tel. 251. Box office open daily from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Why not place your name on the subscription list? It costs no more.

Julia Arthur and David Wardlaw appeared in the original cast that produced "A Nutmeg Match."

## THE STRAND THEATRE

"Lure of Youth" and "West is West," Big Two Feature Program at the Strand First Three Days of Week

For the first three days of the coming week at the Strand the great super special, "Lure of Youth," with an all-star cast, and Harry Carey in "West is West" will be shown in conjunction with a good comedy and weekly, while the program for the last three days includes Maurice Tourneur's "The Great Robbery," and George Walsh in "The Plunder." Nothing better could possibly be matched up for a bill than these super-productions.

Cleo Madison, the golden-haired player who for several years has been one of the idols of the film world, again graces the screen after an almost continuous absence of a year. Miss Madison appears with an all-

cast in "Lure of Youth." Luther Reed's villainous drama. In this new picture she returns as a brilliant stage star who figures in a three-cornered love affair that lacks the usual bad man of the "eternal triangle." More than a year ago Miss Madison was the victim of a nervous collapse due to overwork. After a long rest she returns to the screen, refreshed and strengthened. No motion picture has more human appeal than this one. The story will touch the well-springs of your heart, it will carry you to heights of ambition and into the sunlit fields of a great and beautiful love. It is so superbly acted that you will not be conscious that it is art, but rather feel yourself as among the figures in this living, breathing story, wearing their joys and sorrows with them.

"West is West" in which Harry Carey comes to the Strand for the first three days is a new sort of a story that will surely find favor with all. The star appears in the role of a plainsman who can shoot, but who doesn't. He accomplishes his ends with the active use of his "iron." The play has all of the satisfying elements that go in the making of a first-class picture story. He is seen in the role of a man who is roped in as a strike-breaker in a mine and his efforts to straighten out the difficulties that follow are indeed interesting. Incidental-

ly he becomes involved in a most entertaining love affair that entwines itself with the main theme of the story and has a happy ending. Carey is seen in one of his best parts and the supporting cast is pleasingly assigned.

The Krollier concert will be given at the Strand Monday night. The usual matinee of motion pictures will be given from 1 to 6 p. m.

characterization than anything in which the world's sweetheart has heretofore appeared. Those who saw her recent comedies will certainly enjoy her in her latest production which was written by Frances Marion, who has been claimed as the leading scenario writer in the country. Mary has discarded the comedy roles and in "The Love Light" she appears in a highly emotional role which has been acclaimed as the greatest role of her career. Miss Pickford has surrounded herself with a cast of unusual excellence and every member is especially adapted to the character given them. Raymond Blomher has the leading male role and his past experiences in many big stage and screen plays have placed him among the foremost of the stars.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"The Love Light" for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Big Double Feature Program for Sunday Concert

Petite June Caprice in "In Walked Mary," will feature the program for the Sunday concert at the Merrimack Square theatre. This pretty little star has made rapid strides in the motion picture world because of her charm and personality. In this drama she uses all her talent to good effect.

Sparkling Connie Talmadge in "Happiness a la Mode" is the second feature on the bill. It is needless to say that Connie does her best in this comedy drama as every picture she makes is just a little bit better than her last.

For Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the coming week, Mary Pickford's biggest and best production, "The Love Light," will be the featured attraction. "The Love Light" is an entirely different story and an absolutely new

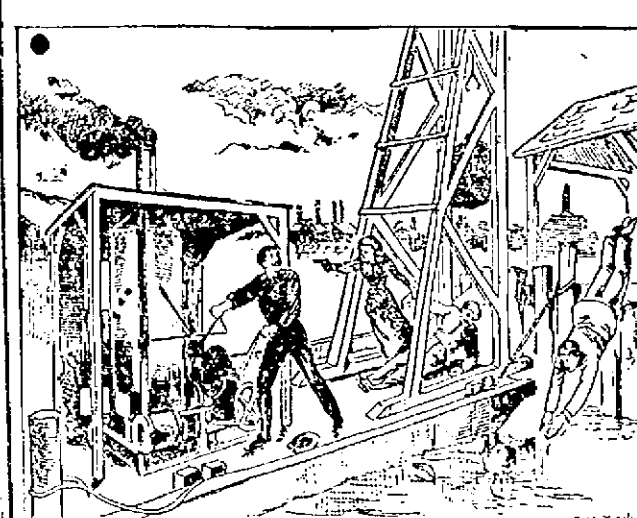
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NOTE THE DERBY

Paderewski, Polish pianist-statesman, is shown as he arrived in New York for a rest in America. He wore a new derby.

## DEFECTIVE PLACE

A defective flue was responsible for a fire at the home of Edward Seaton in Chelmsford Centre yesterday. When the fire, which originated in the chimney, was discovered, an alarm was sent and the quick response of the department saved the building from considerable damage.

Open and closed commercial bodies for Ford chassis, two car loads just received at C. H. Hanson & Co., Rock street.

## FRATERNAL NEWS

One new member was initiated and one application for membership was received at the regular meeting of Wamost Lodge, K. of P., which was held last evening. Routine business was transacted and it was announced that next Friday evening the rank of knight will be conferred on several candidates, and on the same evening a buffet lunch will be served and concert numbers will be given by an orchestra.

## Notre Dame Circle

The regular meeting of the Notre Dame de Lourdes circle was held last evening in Sacred Heart hall, East Pine street. President D. Levasseur occupied the chair and routine business was transacted. At the next meeting of the circle an interesting debate will be held.

## DIVISION 8, A.O.U.

At a recent meeting of Division 8, A.O.U., six applications for membership were received and the new members will be initiated into the order at the class initiation which will be held next Tuesday afternoon. The drawing contest organized by the division some time ago was brought to a close and the prize winners were announced as follows: Mr. Finn, Sixth avenue, first prize; M. Coffey, North Billerica, second; Hogan, B.E.M. car shows, third; M. Kierman, Collinsville, fourth; P. Kelly, inland street, East Hill, Kelleher, 111 Akawam street, sixth and T. Quinn, seventh.

## MOTORCYCLE DAMAGED

A Harley-Davidson motorcycle bearing the Massachusetts registration, M.C. 2633, was badly damaged in a collision with an automobile at the junction of Moody and Allen streets this forenoon. No one was injured in the mix-up and the automobile received but slight damages. The motorcycle was rounding the corner of Allen and Moody while the automobile was going towards Pawtucketville, when the collision occurred shortly after 10 o'clock.

## Y.M.C.A. MEETING

Bishop Hughes Will Address Men's Meeting at the Y.M.C.A. Sunday Afternoon—Concert by Quartet  
Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, of Boston, who traveled through Europe during the war giving talks to the fighting men, will be the speaker at tomorrow afternoon's men's meeting to be held at the Y.M.C.A. at 3:30 p. m. The lecture will be preceded by a concert given by a local quartet under the direction of Rev. Karl P. Meisler. Harry E. Lockman, industrial secretary of the Lowell Y., will lead the audience in songs. General Secretary H. P. Howe will be chairman of the gathering, and the ushering will be directed by Donald Coburn.

## NORTH CHELMSFORD

The first annual concert of the fire department of North Chelmsford was held Thursday night in the town hall. The attendance was not as large as anticipated, but all present spent a most enjoyable evening. The program included band selections, vocal selections by Miss Laurette Barry, Miss Mae Rynne, the Dion sisters, Ernest Ready, piano selections, Paul Angelo and Miss Evelyn Barry. Capt. Janzen of the local fire department gave an interesting talk on fire fighting. The committee in charge consisted of Geo. Marinel, George Welch, James Kiberd, Jr., and Leo Pope.

## CONTINUE AIR MAIL SERVICE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Without discussion the senate yesterday authorized continuance of the transcontinental airplane mail service from New York to San Francisco via Chicago and Omaha, by adopting as an amendment to the postal appropriation bill a section providing \$3,500,000 for the purpose.

## TEWKSBURY'S ASSESSORS

At a recent meeting of the board of assessors for the town of Tewksbury, Buzzell King was chosen chairman and A. C. Blaisdell, secretary. The trustees of the public library organized with Albert C. Blaisdell as chairman and Miss H. G. Lee, secretary.

## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

## Sacred Concert by St. Anthony's Choir Singers

Tomorrow evening in the Opera House a grand sacred concert will be presented under the auspices of the choir singers of St. Anthony's church in Central street. The program is arranged and to be directed by William Gookin will be one of the most elaborate ever offered in a concert of its kind in the city. One of the features will be the singing of music composed by Bishop Da Silva of St. Anthony's church.

The regular choir, itself composed of some of the prominent church singers of the city, has been augmented for the occasion. Those who have attended the special church services at St. Anthony's church, the most recent being on New Year's eve, know what a treat is in store for the auditors at Sunday evening's offering. Bishop Da Silva's sacred mass is generally recognized as one of the most difficult of church music selections.

The entire chorus will be as follows: Sopranos, Miss Ellen Lynch, Mrs. Evelyn Donnelly, Mrs. Mary Mooney, Mrs. Nora Regan-Longtin, Miss Nettie Roberts, Miss Mary Mack, Miss Radio Sheehan; tenors, Messrs. James King, Charles Panten, John Hartnett, Michael Brennan; baritone, Messrs. Andrew A. McCarthy, William Gookin, Joseph M. Reilly, Fred Cummings and William Brunelle. The concert program will be as follows:

Regina Terza ..... G. Curto  
The Swiss Echo ..... Carl Eckart  
Solo—Mrs. Nora Regan-Longtin  
Stabat Mater ..... Rossini  
Culius Animus ..... Rossini  
Solo—Mr. James King  
Quis Est Ille ..... Rossini  
Duet—Mrs. J. H. Donnelly and Mrs. F. Philip Mooney  
Pro Peccatis ..... Rossini  
Solo—Mr. Andrew A. McCarthy  
Inflammatus ..... Rossini  
Solo and Chorus—Mrs. J. H. Donnelly  
The Swallows ..... F. H. Cowen  
Solo—Miss Sadie G. Sheehan  
O Gloria ..... Bishop Da Silva  
(Solos sustained by Miss Ellen Lynch and Joseph M. Reilly)  
Salve Regina ..... Rossini  
Duet—Messrs. James King and Fred Cummings  
Credo, Mass No. 2 ..... Bishop Da Silva  
Chorus  
O Where is Heaven? ..... Melitz  
Solo—Mrs. Nettie Roberts  
O Loving Pelican ..... Bishop Da Silva  
Duet—Miss Mary A. B. Mack and Miss Ellen Lynch  
The Kingdom of God, W. Rhy's Herbert  
Chorus

## OUTLOOK NOT BRIGHT FOR BUILDING BOOM

Unless the combination that controls the sale of building materials in New England is smashed, there is no hope for a building boom in Lowell next spring. It is true that prices on certain materials have dropped during the past few months, but the cut was only to offset the increase which became effective since the early part of last year, so that today some of the materials are selling at the same prices as they were a year ago, while others have materially increased in price. The new freight increase, which became effective a few months ago is also adding materially to the high cost of building.

Daniel H. Walker, the general contractor in charge of the erection of the new high school, says he does not want to be a pessimist, but as far ahead as his vision can carry, he fails to see any improvement in the building industry and he believes, although he hopes he is wrong, that as long as building conditions remain as they are, there will be no building boom in this city. "Before any important change occurs," he said, "it will be necessary to break the trust that is controlling the sale of building materials in New England. People who are handling lumber, brick, lime and cement are linked into one association and they control the market, and until such time as these people are divorced, the business will be at a standstill."

In reply to a question concerning the price of lumber, Mr. Walker admitted that there has been a noticeable drop in price during the past few months, but he said that was only to offset the increase in prices during the past year, so that today lumber is selling at about the same price as it was a year ago. Lime is much higher than it was, while cement has also taken a jump. Brick remains at about the same price, while there has been no change in the price of steel. There is no difficulty in obtaining the materials, he said, but who wants to pay the price?

With the exception of the high school and auditorium there is no big job going on in this city. A few garages are being erected, while perhaps three or four dwelling houses are underway. It is expected, however, that before a great while work of remodeling the Memorial house will be started, for the architect is now calling for bids. This will be a big job when it gets started and it will mean the expenditure of between \$50,000 and \$75,000, but this is not new work.

Work on the erection of the new high school is progressing rapidly despite the fact that the steel job is at a standstill because of a strike. It will be remembered that several weeks ago the steel workers at the high school and auditorium, who were employed by a Boston steel firm, left their work because of a cut-down in wages and other minor troubles. These men are affiliated with the Boston union of steel workers, while their employers

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are members of the Boston Builders' association. The reduction in wages was voted by the Boston Builders and became effective on every job controlled by the association whether in Boston or elsewhere. The mayor has been endeavoring to settle the grievance, but so far his efforts have proved fruitless.

Contractor Walker says the strike has not interfered with his work in any way and unless the strike should last another month he will not feel it. Mr. Walker says the contract calls for the opening of the school a year from next September, and unless something extraordinary occurs, he hopes to have the building finished before the time limit.

At present 32 bricklayers are busy laying bricks on the third story of the structure, while the first and second concrete floors have been laid. The electricians are close on the heels of the bricklayers, and the carpenters are busy setting in window frames and making forms for the pouring of the third floor. The brick work is about two-thirds completed and it is expected that by June 1 the roof will be on. The boiler house in French street, which will house the heating apparatus of the old and new school, is nearing completion. There are about 150 men on the job.

Speaking about the unemployed, Mr. Walker said if he were to take all the men who are looking for work and place them inside the new building, he would fill the structure. Every morning and noon there is a long line of men eager to secure employment.

## Lenten Missions

The annual Lenten missions for the married women of St. Joseph's, St. Louis and Notre Dame de Lourdes parishes, which were started last Sunday, will be brought to a close tomorrow afternoon with special services in each church. The mission at St. Louis' church is being preached by a Dominican father of Fall River, while at St. Joseph's and Notre Dame de Lourdes the preachers are Oblate fathers from Cap de la Madeleine, Que. Tomorrow evening special services will be held in each church for the opening of the unmarried women's mission.

## Amusement Notes

Continued

The father folk because instead of landing the nets and row boats, he raises flowers for the perfume market in Genoa. In time Antonio joins the army of his country and a little later Mario enlists. Giovanni is still at home and Angela voices her contempt at his apparent lack of patriotism; this decides for Giovanni that he should go and he returns blind. During his absence Angela cares for his garden and also for the lighthouse keeper's place. One day Angela finds the unconscious body of a sailor who claims that he deserted his ship. The two are later married. How the stranger prays to be an enemy of her country and she sacrifices everything in order to protect not only her neighbors but her enemies is presented in a series of dramatic moments which must be seen to be fully appreciated.

The added attractions on the bill are a big comedy, "The Sleeker," News Topics of the Day and the Paramount Magazine.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, a big double feature program has been booked. Mack Bennett's big six reel comedy-drama, "A Small Town Idol" is the featured attraction. This big production has as its star the celebrated comedian, Ben Turpin. He does his best work here. He puts on melodramatic attitudes and burlesque amusingly. "Romance," starring the beautiful actress Doris Keane, is the second big feature on the bill. Miss Keane played in the original play of the same name and in the motion picture production she duplicates her former success.

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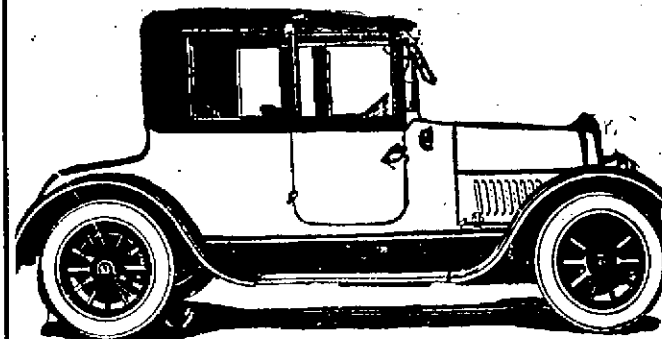
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## DISCUSS PLANS FOR BASEBALL LEAGUE

Representatives of Catholic organizations of North Billerica and Lowell met in Mathew hall, North Billerica, Thursday evening for the purpose of discussing plans for the formation of a baseball league. J. E. Mullon of North Billerica opened the meeting and introduced Thomas J. Tighe of this city as chairman of the evening, while Bernard Tully was chosen secretary pro-tem. All present took part in the discussion and at the close of the meeting it was voted to form a league, which will be composed of eight teams. The next meeting will be held next Thursday evening in Mathew hall, Lowell.

## HALLORAN ESTATE IN PROBATE COURT

Letters of administration have been granted to Mrs. Anne Halloran, widow of Martin W. Halloran, through the probate court at Cambridge, deceased having left no will. The personal property of deceased is roughly set at \$25,000, although as it may exceed that sum a bond for \$40,000 has been given through a surety company. The next of kin besides Mrs. Halloran, are the brother and three sisters of deceased.

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According to a report published in the Lawrence Telegram, the American Woolen Co., which already operates four mills in that city, employing, when on full time, some 15,000 operatives, is contemplating the erection of a fifth mill, probably along the river bank adjacent to the present Washington mill, the oldest of the American Woolen Co.'s Lawrence plants.

**Maintaining a Blacklist**  
MILWAUKEE, Wis.—William Coleman, organizer of the Milwaukee Federation Trade Council, the federation of local labor unions, has announced that criminal action is to be brought against the Milwaukee Institute of Knitted Wear, Room 25, Miller building, Milwaukee, Charles B. Walker, secretary and managing director. Circular letters said to have been written by Milwaukee knitted wear manufacturers and Mr. Walker on employment matters are the alleged basis for the threatened action. Coleman says he has copies of several such letters, indicating a blacklist, but how they were secured was not stated.

**Retail Merchants Buying**  
NEW YORK.—The principal centers report an unusual influx of retail buyers who need goods promptly. Merchants are buying moderately but often. This means that stocks throughout the country are light and that caution is being exercised—a wholesome condition.—R. C. Forbes, in Forbes, Feb. 19, p. 821.

### ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS by Olive Roberts Barton



### THE CHILDREN ARRIVED AT THE SLEEPING POOL, WHERE ALL THE STARS OF HEAVEN SEEMED TO BE FLOATING!

After the Bobadil Jinn had jumped down to earth, Nancy and Nick turned to say goodbye to the Star.  
"We've had a very nice time," they said, "and thank you for helping us. It was kind of you to tell us about the secret passage under the Sleeping Pool, and we shall find it at once, just as soon as we reach the earth."  
The Star said that they were certainly welcome and that he would help them again whenever he could. "You will have to be very careful now," he warned. "The passage is no longer secret, for the Jinn heard everything I told you. He also saw your map, when he changed himself into a white flower. He was right here on the table all the time we were talking."  
"Oh, well," answered Nick, bravely. "We still have our box of Charms and our Magic Shoes."  
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**UNIVERSAL TIDE POWER CO.**  
Pushing a wheelbarrow is one form of energy, but it is mighty hard work and hard work is what humanity has tried to minimize since the world began. Primitive man built the pyramids in Egypt but he used the power of human muscles to place the huge blocks of granite from which they are made into place. Modern man built the Woolworth building, the Metropolitan tower, the Washington monument and other skyscraping structures, but he used the electric hoist to place in position the huge stones and steel girders, of which these structures are composed, and the electric energy so used was made possible only by the use of coal. Coal by its heat boiled the water that made the steam that turned the engine which coupled to any electric generator gave electrical energy. Modern science has made it possible to transmit electrical energy hundreds of miles, so that wherever power is generated it need not be confined to that particular locality.  
Of late years the tendency of electrical companies has been to locate at the shore, when it is possible to do so, because they have found it cheaper to transmit electrical energy to a point inland over a wire rather than to carry coal over a railroad to that point. Coal having been delivered to them by car-riners on the sea at a much less cost, they have been able to reduce the cost of the electricity that they sell. The primary cost is there just the same and must be added to the consumer's bill, and no matter how willing the electric company might be to give the consumer that commodity at a small cost, they are handicapped because of their first cost, coal. The large electric manufacturing companies are now making electric generators that generate electricity at 150,000 volts which spoken of in terms more familiar to the average leader means pounds pressure and that

is, some kick; so that electricity with that pressure behind it can be sent any distance, as said before, without perceptible loss.

All of us know that the world has never had a crisis in its affairs but that for years before events had been shaping themselves to take care of that very crisis. Now, then, here is a logical way to look at things.

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Many people have tried to use the power of the waves or the rise and fall of the tides, but it remained for John A. Knowlton of Dorchester, Mass., to strike the nail on the head by using the inexhaustible waters of the tides and make them work for humanity.

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### Democratic Leader

Continued

stirred up by a few members of congress as to the possible defeat of Speaker Gillett as speaker of the next congress. There seems to be but little substance to the rumors. Of course there will always be opposition to the election of any one man; disgruntled and discontented members of congress are apt to lay at the door of the speaker, the reason for their failure in getting legislative measures put through, and those men start a bee buzzing 'round the ears of some man who would like to succeed the speaker in office. But so far as can be ascertained there is no genuine opposition to Mr. Gillett either on personal or political grounds. He has been fair, able and impartial in his rulings and has a great number of friends on the democratic side of the house who, although they will cast their votes for a democratic speaker, would like to see Mr. Gillett elected rather than a new republican.

**Athletic Stunts in Congress**  
It is a pretty safe guess that at least one hundred members of congress did unaccustomed athletic stunts this morning before breakfast. For last night Walter Camp, the famous Yale athlete told them it was unpatriotic to grow fat and lazy and thin and anemic, or words to that effect, and standing on a big mahogany table in the great main hall of the crystal room of the capitol, Mr. Camp shed his dress coat and vest and went through his famous daily dozen setting up exercises winning converts with every stretch and bend he made. "Hun—! I'd like to try it myself," murmured Kitchener of Nebraska who went on the fat man's debate not long ago, tipping the scales at something over three hundred "I couldn't be bad for me!"

marked a sailor man from the south who loomed up lean and lank over the heads of every one else present. "We ought to have put you through your paces before we listened to your arguments about tariff on clocks," grinned Tillson of Connecticut, who is on the ways and means committee before which Camp had appeared as president of the New Haven clock company. He was invited to talk by prominent members and the audience comprised members of congress and their guests. They were enthusiastic over the gospel of exercise as preached by Mr. Camp. When congress came into session little groups of fat men and of thin men admitted that "just made a try of it."

**Hearing on Mr. Rogers' Bill**  
Hearing on the Rogers' bill to consolidate certain branches of war-related service are now going on before the sub-committee of the interstate commerce committee. Many witnesses have appeared and all endorse the purpose of the bill. Whether or

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not it can be put through exactly on the lines which Mr. Rogers drew up is doubtful, but whatever is done will be largely owing to the efforts of Mr. Rogers to prevent delay in adding disabled soldiers. If the bill fails this session Mr. Rogers will reintroduce it in the spring.

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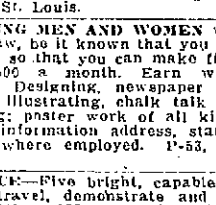
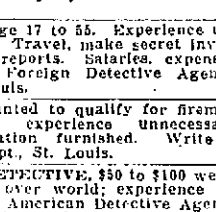


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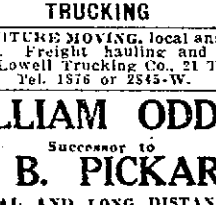
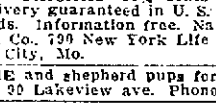
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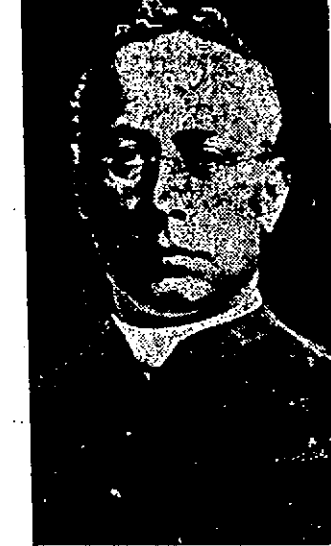
\$150,000 Loss Caused by Fire at Stratford, Conn.—Five Firemen Injured

STRATFORD, Conn., Feb. 19.—Stratford's high school, a three-story brick building with 15 class rooms, was burned today with a loss of \$150,000. Five firemen were slightly hurt.

# TENDER RECEPTION TO FR. FLETCHER

Reception was given to Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., spiritual director of the Holy Rosary sodality, under the auspices of that organization last evening in Sacred Heart hall. Rev. Fr. Fletcher has been in Texas for a vacation and rest, and returned to Lowell last night. A most interesting entertainment was given by young people of the parish and a purse of gold, together with a basket of flowers, was presented to Fr. Fletcher. The presentation speech was made by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., and Fr. Fletcher responded with a few well chosen words which expressed his happiness to be back among the people of Sacred Heart parish.

The entertainment, which evinced much musical, dramatic and telephonic talent, was directed by Mrs. Maria



REV. BERNARD FLETCHER, O.M.I.

Doherty, president of the sodality; Mrs. Eugene Sullivan, vice president; Mrs. Mary Keane, secretary; Mrs. Brian McFadden, treasurer; and Mesdames James Sheehan, James P. Garvey and Isabel Kennedy, aids.

The various numbers were introduced by Miss Mabel Sullivan, while Mrs. William Mooney and Miss Marion McFadden were the accompanists. The following program was given: Community singing by the audience; Irish jig, Ursula Hosmer and Vincent Cryan; song, "Broadway Rose," Margaret Dean; spring dance, K. Doris Howard; duet, piano and violin, Margaret Doherty and Mary Foley; reading, "Our Friend the Priest," Mary McCarron; parol dance, Margaret Mooney; song, "Old Fashioned Garden," Sadie Kennedy; duet, piano and violin, Frances and Margaret Goggin; Irish jig, Margaret Higgins and Mary Chambers; Highland fling and skirl-along dance, Dorothy Mahoney; reading, Katherine Kenney; piano solo, Ethel Sheehan; Irish dance, Margaret Mooney; trio, piano, violin, harp, Ruth McFadden; Helen Lannon and Marion McFadden; solo, "The Rosary," Kathleen Jennings. The stage was prettily decorated, and a large audience attended.

# TO BEGIN NIGHT SHIFT

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 19.—Announcement was made today by the Gilbert & Barker Manufacturing Co., makers of gasoline pumps and tanks, that owing to an increased demand for their 250 employees that have been laid off will be re-employed at once and that beginning Monday a night shift will be put into operation.

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# This Baby's Mother Says—

"I have a family of eight children and two sets of twins. They all had bad colds and could not sleep, they coughed all night. I started giving them Father John's Medicine and after taking it they stopped coughing and they kept on taking it until they were well. I think it is the best medicine for colds."

# POSTMASTERSHIP STAKE

Harding Declines Golf Challenge From Postmaster of Greenville, S. C.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 19.—(By the Associated Press.)—Another projected classic of the world of sports was today declined by President-elect Harding. He declined a challenge from the postmaster at Greenville, S. C., to match skill with him on the golf links with a reappointment to the postmastership as a stake.

To the challenger's manager, Mr. Harding wrote that he regarded himself as only a miserable player and was unwilling to "have the administration weakened by taking its attitude on my incapacity at golf."

But he added that he liked the postmaster's "sporty inclination" and if the conditions of the challenge were removed, he was willing to accept a match whenever opportunity offered.

The proposal to play for the postmastership was made in formal fashion by Louis Sherfess, who described himself as self-appointed manager for the postmaster, Thomas H. Pope, a Wilson appointee. Writing to Mr. Sherfess, the president-elect said he felt it would be easier to recommitment Mr. Pope on the advice of his friends than to risk the appointment on the fortunes of the links.

# PREMIER SMUTS PAYS TRIBUTE TO WILSON

JOHANNESBURG, Union of South Africa, Feb. 18.—A tribute to the work of President Wilson on behalf of the League of Nations, was paid today by Jan Christian Smuts, premier of South Africa, at a League of Nations demonstration. "Hundreds of years hence, Wilson's name will be one of the greatest in history," he said. "The league, which will be one of the most potent things in the future of mankind, will be a school of peace and brotherhood, and will be the source of the sufferings of the late war."

# THE HOOVER FUND

Contributions by Students of the Lowell Normal School—Miss Fisher Addresses Lawrence High Students. The sum of \$50 was contributed towards the Hoover fund for starving Europe by the students of the Lowell Normal school, and was paid today by the Lawrence high school during the present week.

# THE WORLD ALMANAC

The 1920 presidential election returns from every state in the Union, as well as the 1920 United States census population figures for every state and for every place of 500 or more inhabitants in this country, are contained in the World Almanac for 1921. Past population and census figures are also given, together with the complete work of reference as to the commerce, industry, crops and progress of America and the whole world. The income tax and all important diplomatic relations of the United States are listed, together with the rulers, population, etc., of all countries. The financial, railway and trade statistics are full and varied, all prominent events and occurrences are set forth in the chronology and necrology. The sporting and weather records cover many years past. The religious statistics include all denominations. Among other notable features are: biographic dictionary, tables of altitudes, postal data, astronomical information, list of American colleges and universities, list of associations throughout the country, the big laws of 1920, the great national highways, law guide, armaments and navies of the world, the tariff, summaries of presidential elections from 1836 to date, population, area and debts, etc., of states and cities of the United States, tobacco, wool, silk, cotton, statistics, meat production and consumption; 25-page story of the republican form of government, and other national conventions for 1920.

Last year Italy sent us 2,640,000 pounds of lemon peel in bulk for the manufacture of marmalade.

# DEATHS

PESTANA—Mrs. Josephine Pestana died yesterday afternoon at her home, 33 South street, after a short illness, aged 23 years. She leaves her husband, Anthony, and two children.

EDDIE—Miss Mary A. Eddie, a well known resident of Lowell, died at her home in the Groton road yesterday, after a long illness, aged 65 years, 4 months. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Annie O'Brien of Somerville, and two children, Anna and Frederick. Her husband, John, died many years ago.

WEBSTER—Mrs. Ellen F. Webster died last night at her home, 111 North street. She is survived by two children, Anna and Frederick. Her husband, John, died many years ago.

WEBSTER—Mrs. Ellen F. Webster, three sisters, Misses Mary and Rose E. Webster, and Mrs. John H. McNulty and a cousin, James E. Slavin.

# FUNERAL NOTICES

WEBSTER—Died Feb. 18, Mrs. Ellen F. Slavin Webster. Funeral will take place Monday morning at 2 o'clock from her late home at 111 North street. Solemn high funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and Frank G. O'Donnell.

DOUGLAS—Died Feb. 17th, in this city, Charles A. Douglas, aged 65 years and 2 months, at his home, 318 Monday street. Funeral services will be held at 2.30 o'clock, Sunday morning, at St. Patrick's church. Friends are invited without further notice, to attend the funeral. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers George W. Healey.

CONWAY—The funeral of Mr. John J. Conway will take place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late home, No. 89 Fourth street. Solemn high funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's church Monday morning at 8.45 o'clock for the repose of his soul. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and James W. McKenna.

# FUNERALS

MURPHY—The funeral of Anna Rita Murphy, daughter of Thomas J. Murphy and Katherine (Donoghue) Murphy, took place this afternoon from the family home, 191 Hale street, and was very largely attended, universal sympathy being expressed for the bereaved family. The funeral services were held at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and Frank G. O'Donnell.

KEEFE—The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Keefe took place this morning at 10 o'clock from her home, 303 Western street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9.30 o'clock a funeral high mass was sung by Rev. James Sheehan. The service was directed by Mr. Michael J. Johnson, who rendered the Gregorian mass, the solemn being sustained by Miss Frances Keefe. The choir, consisting of the late Mrs. Keefe's children, rendered the Gregorian chant. The funeral services were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and Frank G. O'Donnell.

MAHER—The funeral of Mrs. William Maher took place this morning from her home, 112 Gresham avenue, and was largely attended. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. A. Nolin, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Charles Donohue, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. Guillemin Ouellette, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. The funeral services were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and Frank G. O'Donnell.

O'BRIEN—The funeral of Hannah O'Brien took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the funeral home of Undertakers Higgins Bros. at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. James J. O'Sullivan, O.M.I. The funeral services were in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

# BIRDS SINGING AND MATING IN NORTH

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Birds are singing, mating and breeding in the north woods. Edward H. Forbush, state ornithologist, said today that the unusual warmth and openness of the winter had stirred the birds much earlier than usual. Crossbills have been singing for several days in the White mountains and elsewhere in the north country, he said. Mating has begun and several nests of young have been found.

# REQUIEM MASSES

DONAHUE—There will be an anniversary mass on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, at the Sacred Heart church for Patrick J. Donahue.

MILL—There will be a monthly mass of requiem Tuesday morning, Feb. 22 at 8 o'clock, at St. Patrick's church for Mrs. Minnie Lee.

STARR—A monthly mass requiem mass for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Bridget Starr will be celebrated at St. Peter's church, Wednesday morning, Feb. 23, 1921, at 8.45 o'clock.

# LYDD GEORGE VICTORY FLAYS BRITAIN'S IRISH POLICY

Candidate Supported by Premier Elected to House of Commons

CARDIGAN, Wales, Feb. 19.—Captain Ernest Evans, coalition Liberal, who was supported by the prime minister, Mr. Lloyd George, has been elected to the house of commons over Edwellyn Williams, Independent Liberal in the bye-election held to fill the seat vacated by Matthew Vaughan-Davies who was elevated to the peerage. The vote as announced today, was: Evans, 11,111; Williams, 10,321.

The election was really a test of strength between the premier and those who claim his power is waning and who predict the downfall of the government. The situation in the district was so tight that even Mr. Lloyd George felt impelled to take a part in the campaign.

# HARDING DISCUSSES FOREIGN RELATIONS

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 19.—President-elect Harding laid his uncomplicated cabinet aside for a while today and centered his attention on foreign relations, rather than on domestic matters.

His consultations during the day concerned chiefly the two public questions which are expected to loom large before the new administration, taxation and foreign relations.

Important decisions on both of these questions are to be made soon after the change of government at Washington, and today's conference may have much to do with the exact form of some of Mr. Harding's first official acts as chief executive.

The exact manner in which first steps are to be taken toward formation of an association of nations is believed to have been one of the questions under discussion.

Regarding a taxation policy, Mr. Harding's Representative Fordney of Michigan, chairman of the house ways and means committee and author of the emergency tariff bill passed at the present session of congress, in addition to reporting on general sentiment in congress, Mr. Fordney urged that emergency tariff legislation be the first undertaking of the special session to be called after inauguration.

# Held for Grand Jury

Continued

soda fountain, while that individual himself was standing about 6 ft. inside the door of the store, holding a box of cake in his hand. He was fighting drunk, said the officer, who added that Willette has a reputation of going on the warpath occasionally. Officer LaRue, testifying, said that when he arrested Willette, he was grown all over with the sweat of the place, but the battling had ceased.

The defendant took the stand and stated that Willette entered his place of business and threw all the glasses from the soda fountain to the floor. He then hurled a straw-holder of heavy glass at the defendant, cutting his hand, and also striking him in the chest. The defendant has been in the hospital as the result of blood-poisoning sustained from the wound.

He said he seized his gun and warned Willette to leave the store. But the latter spoke contemptuously with reference to the weapon, and as his pugilistic continued he fired to obtain help, hitting Willette accidentally.

Counsel for Donahue argued that the latter was defending himself from danger, and that the straw-holder wielded by Willette was as much a dangerous weapon as the gun, and could have inflicted death. But Judge Wright questioned the extent to which a man may go in defending himself from a one-armed man who is in an intoxicated condition, and passed the case to the higher jurisdiction. Bail, however, was reduced from \$400 to \$300.

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Dr. William O'Brien has gone to Virginia for a short trip. He sailed from Boston this afternoon and expects to return one week from Monday. Dr. O'Brien's offices are in The Sun building.

Today is the last day of one of the most interesting and beautiful exhibits that Lowell has ever seen, the showing of folk handicraft and old world curies which is being held at the Whistler house, under the auspices of the International Institute for Women, of Lowell, and the local branch of the Folk Handicraft guild. Greek coffee and sweets will be served by the girls of the institute, and Mrs. Thompson will preside at the tea table.

"The New Opportunities in Teaching" was the subject of a lecture given yesterday afternoon at the Lowell Normal school by Harry E. Gardner, of the state department of education. Mr. Gardner is director of the teachers' registration bureau of Massachusetts. At the conclusion of the lecture the school gymnasium was the scene of a most interesting entertainment, given by members of the senior class. Girls representing "Man About Town" and other local newspaper features answered questions from the audience on all subjects from music to cooking. The costumes were the conception of Miss Doris Barrie, while the program was arranged by Misses Ruth Galnes and Madeline Ferrin.

# FIRE ALARMS

A still alarm was sent in at 7.50 o'clock this morning for a chimney fire at 114 Zenell street, and at 12.30 o'clock this afternoon an alarm was sent in for a chimney fire at a dump fire on the old Fair grounds in Gorham street.

# "Watchful Waiting" in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 19.—A policy of "watchful waiting" under the change of administrations at Washington, has been adopted by the Mexican government, President Obregon told excursionists from San Francisco today when asked to give his views regarding relations between this country and the United States. "I have decided to see nothing for the present," he declared, "and will make no announcement until the new president assumes office."

# Flying Boat Off On Long Flight

NEWPORT, N. J., Feb. 19.—The 11-passenger flying boat Ponce Leon left here for a flight to Nassau, Bahamas Islands. Stop will be made at Sattolo Island, N. C., Miami and Key West, Fla., and Havana.

# RELATES TALE OF OLD INVESTMENT

One of the many cases of inquiries about investments made at the office of the chamber of commerce was brought to light this morning when Secretary-Manager George Wells was visited by an old gentleman seeking information about a concern in which his wife invested \$10 for one share, 15 years ago.

According to the story, this concern was incorporated in 1903 with a capitalization of \$300,000. At the time of its incorporation, the man said, the company had offices on Milk street, Boston, and was selling shares at \$10 each. It dealt in coal and one of the features was the fact that its headquarters was in Pennsylvania, which is an important coal-distributing center.

Since investing in the company, the inquirer's wife has not had a word and after 18 years' lapse, the husband thought it about time some action should be taken.

Mr. Wells acknowledged that he had never heard of the company, but promised to look into the matter. The investigation service bureau has charge of looking into the schemes of the "painters of beautiful visions of riches" to be obtained through the purchase of certain stocks.

# JOINT MEETING OF A. A. R. I. R. COUNCILS

Tomorrow evening in Hibernian hall, Middle street, a joint meeting of all councils, A. A. R. I. R., of Lowell and vicinity will be held. The appointed representatives of every council in the city should be present for important business is to be taken up.

Reports on the progress of the Irish relief fund will be made and considerable discussion will be given to new members to be employed in putting the drive through.

Arrangements will also be made for the district convention to be held on March 16. Attempts are being made to have councils organized in every section of the congressional districts.

# IRISH RELIEF FUND

The following letter was received by Michael J. Sharkey this morning:

My dear Mr. Sharkey: Kindly find enclosed \$50, the offering of the Oblate Fathers of the Sacred Heart community to help in the relief of the suffering of the poor people in the 'dear old land.'

"Yours in C. G. M. I., JOHN P. FLYNN, O.M.I."

# GIRLS' COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING

Whether or not the Girls' Community club will go by the board or will continue its services with a club membership of nearly 600, will be decided at an important mass meeting to be held in the club rooms in the Russell building, this evening, beginning at 7.30 o'clock.

Miss Bawlia Lawler, club director, will submit her annual report showing the great number of activities in which the club has been engaged the past year. The co-operation of the club members will be necessary to tide the club over its present period of depression. All members are expected to be present tonight.

At 2.30 o'clock this afternoon on the Legion club bowling alleys Team 2, captained by Mary Healey, and Team 4, captained by Ellen Martin, met in a contest. The Community club girls have formed a league of six teams, the winning team of which will meet other club teams of this city.

# JAPAN DEMANDS AN APOLOGY

PEKING, Feb. 19.—Demands for compensation and an apology growing out of the burning of a Japanese consulate and the killing and wounding of Japanese subjects by Chinese or Korean bandits in Hunchun last October have been presented to the Chinese government by the Japanese legation.

After the raid the Japanese sent troops into the territory, which is a part of Manchuria, under Chinese jurisdiction and the question of their withdrawal has been a subject of discussion between the two powers for several months. All but two battalions have been removed and the Chinese government is refraining from discussing the question of reparations until the remaining troops are evacuated. Counter claims for damages and other satisfaction are to be made by the Chinese government due to depredations by Japanese troops during their occupation of the territory.

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## Sporting News and Newsy Sports

KENNEDY AND BURNS  
MATCHED FOR HOLIDAY

## SCHOOL TRACK TEAMS

Lynn Classical and Lowell  
High Teams Will Meet  
This Evening

Steve Kennedy and Larry Burns, rival Lawrence brothers, have finally come to terms and signed a contract to appear in the main event of the evening at the Lowell A.A. on Tuesday evening.

This pair was previously matched, but it failed to come off. Various reasons have been advanced by the managers as to the failure of the fight to get together, each accusing the other of having "cold feet". The matchmaker finally decided to wait until the last moment and then called for a fight on the holiday.

Both Kennedy and Burns have been training for several months in anticipation of this meeting, and each avers that he will win before the tenth round is reached.

Steve Gustin, who has become a great favorite here, will meet Johnny Sheppard in another bout, and Ed Thomas of Lawrence and Young O'Neil of Nashua will clash in the third number.

## JOSEPHS REGAINS

## FEATHER TITLE

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Bobby Josephs of the South End is again the feather weight champion of New England. He defeated Al Hubert of New Bedford, the holder, in their 10-round bout at the Armory A.A. show in Mechanics building last night.

Hubert, 200 men and women saw the battle. While the bout was a lively one, it was not as sensational as their bout a couple of weeks ago.

At times, however, the stood together and swapped punches as fast as they could let them go. Hubert did a lot of good fighting, while Josephs landed many left and right hooks to stomach and jaw. Both did good jabbing. It was a close contest.

Shaver O'Brien of South Boston defeated Harry Silva of the West End in 10 rounds.

Josephs' victory was both a personal and a professional triumph. He has now won many left hooks on Silva's face and body. In the seventh and eighth rounds Silva landed some left and right counter to Shaver's stomach. He had the latter in distress several times. In the ninth round Shaver nearly put Silva to the mat with a left to the jaw.

Jack Murphy defeated Young Eney of New York in 10 rounds.

Garney of Quincy defeated Mike Kilka of St. Paul in eight.

## BILL BRENNAN WINS

## FROM BOB MARTIN

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Bill Brennan, the Chicago heavyweight, defeated Bob Martin of West Virginia, who holds the A.B.F. championship in that class, in a 15-round bout at the Madison Square Garden last night.

The bout went the limit and the judges agreed on Brennan as the winner.

The former soldier, although beaten, gave a valiant fight. He showed self. Inexperience in the ring combined with the ineffective use of his left hand was largely responsible for his loss.

During the first five rounds, Brennan landed solid left jabs to the face which Martin seemed unable to avoid. But in all of these sessions Martin never landed a blow on Brennan's head. Brennan was decidedly the better of the exchanges.

From the first round, which was even, Martin bled profusely from the mouth. He was the aggressor, however, in the next four rounds and had Brennan on the defensive most of the time. In the fifth round Martin landed four right smashes to the head and jaw, and seemed to have Brennan in the corner. He was the aggressor in the sixth round, but Brennan's punches, it might be counted for a knockout in his favor.

Brennan had the better of the 11th, but in the 12th Martin rallied. Brennan was visibly tired as he went to his corner.

Brennan had the better of the remaining three rounds. The faces of both men were badly marked.

## KANSAS KAYOS MITCHELL

## DISPUTE OVER

## HOCKEY PLAYER

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—International hockey complications are developing around George Dufresne, a Canadian player who recently joined the Boston Shoe Trades club team of the United States Hockey league.

The Ontario Hockey association in a telegram dated at last night by W. H. Hewitt, its chairman, threatened to place the Boston Arena on the outlaw list if Dufresne were permitted to play again in this city.

The Boston Arena is a sportsman's club scheduled to play here next week. It is not allowed to come to Boston unless Dufresne is ruled out of the local rink, it was said.

Charles Francis Adams and George W. Brown, manager of the Boston Arena, joined in a reply to the Canadian ultimatum that the threat to outlaw the arena appeared ill-advised.

BAKER EMPLOYED TO PLAY

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 18.—It is likely that Home Run Baker will be hitting third base for the New York Yankees with the mighty Ruth following when the empire calls the first "Play Ball" of the 1921 season.

Joe Kelley, Yankee scout, and Baker met yesterday at an hotel here by appointment and thrashed out the matter of Baker signing a contract.

It would have to be a big one, says Kelley, for Baker is a big, powerful, fast and will give me good action in 10 days.

## FISHER TOWARDS CONTRACT

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# DEMOCRATIC LEADER WANTS TO CLEAR DECK FOR REPUBLICANS

No Certainty as to Whether Gillett Will Be Retained as Speaker—Yale Athlete Starts Congressmen On Health Stunts

Special to The Sun.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—Democratic Floor Leader Underwood has shown splendid co-operation in getting appropriation bills speeded up in the senate. A few days ago he said in reply to questions by the Sun correspondent, "I believe we should pass such bills and so give the incoming administration a clear field to begin the work the republican party has pledged itself to carry out. I do not believe in a filibuster to put the bills over to the extra session in the spring or do anything that will wilfully obstruct the routine work of the last days of congress. In my opinion the bills will probably pass, unless some hold-up comes from factional difference on the republican side of the senate."  
Mr. Underwood, who followed Mr. Littlecock in floor leadership is highly esteemed by men of both parties. "He is a worthy foe" said one of the republican leaders recently. "He always fights fair. He is uncompromising in the defense of what he believes proper and never resorts to tricks or subterfuge."  
At this moment harmony prevails in the senate. Except a disposition on the part of Senator Borah to delay the naval appropriation bill scarcely a rift exists in republican insistence to carry out the desire of Mr. Harding and get routine and appropriation bills out of the way and so give the extra session a chance to begin the work for which it will be called, which includes revision of the tariff, peace with Germany, various treaties with foreign nations and general reconstruction work to put the country back on a normal business and industrial basis after the long war period.  
There is a disposition for republican team work in which the democrats apparently do not intend to interfere during the closing weeks.

**The Extra Session**  
The date of the extra session is still in doubt, but it is expected definite news on that subject will be given to the country in a few days. The senate is known to prefer a short recess only, say, from ten days to two weeks or thereabout, while the house believes it should be for at least a month in order to give time for organization of congressional committees, give the president time to get his hearings and make the necessary appointments to commissions and heads of bureaus, and also give the new cabinet an opportunity to get settled to its important duties. Mr. Harding is taking advice on the best course to pursue and it is expected an informal announcement will be made this week.

**President's Health Improves**  
President Wilson is showing some improvement in health, although still very feeble. He, this week, visited his executive office for the first time since his illness nearly two years ago; he went to the theatre twice within a month and walked with only the assistance of a stout cane although he was accompanied by two men who walked close to his side ready to assist in case of possible mis-hap. In making his visit to the executive office the president walked unassisted a few yards in crossing the short passage which separates the White House proper from the office in which the cabinet meeting was held that day. Since the president's illness, but few meetings have been held and those attended by him, have always been held in his private study to which he was carried in his wheel chair. It is understood that he will go to the capitol when the session closes at noon March 4th to sign eleven hour bills as they pass. That of course depends largely on his condition at that time and also on the state of the weather.

**Winolow Railroad Bill**  
The Winslow bill permitting the United States treasurer to make to railroads partial payments of the sums due them from the government under the government control period, is expected to help New England out of some of the embarrassments from which they now suffer. The interstate and foreign commerce committee of which Winslow of Massachusetts will next session be chairman and of which Merritt of Connecticut is the other New England member, secured the passage of a bill through the house which will be of great benefit to New England industries by relieving the congestion which now exists to freight from the west to the New England states. The new bill provides for the construction of a railroad bridge across the Hudson river at Castleton, New York, which would go far towards making another gateway for New England freight, as it would do away with the congestion of freight which now occurs at Albany.

**Will Gillett Be Re-elected Speaker?**  
There has been considerable talk continued to Page Eight

**STRENUOUS OPPOSITION**  
N. E. Traffic League Against Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River Project

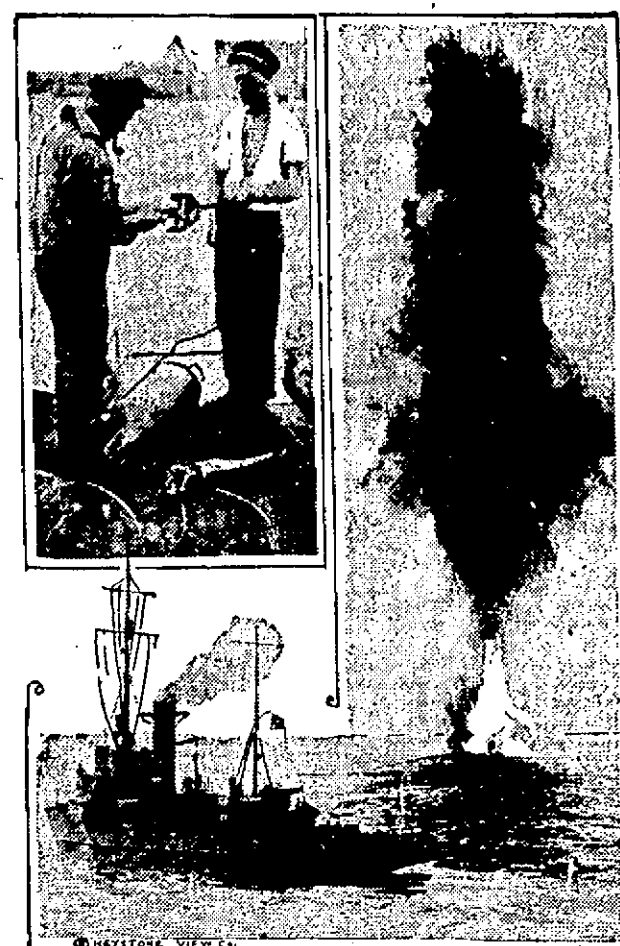
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Strenuous opposition to the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence river (waterway) project by the New England Traffic League, is urged in a report of a special committee of the Boston chamber of commerce made public today. The recommendation is signed by W. H. Day, R. L. French and A. H. Ferguson, who were named last fall for an exhaustive study of the proposition.  
"Your committee has made every effort to study this matter from a broad-minded viewpoint," the report says. "It has, however, had to be mindful of the fact that its study of the proposition."

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**NEAR EAST FUND GOES ON GROWING**  
Sympathy for the starving children of the near east continues to be strong in Lowell, and contributions for their relief continue to flow into the hands of the committee having the matter in hand.  
Some of the latest gifts to the fund have been as follows:  
Previously reported ..... \$206.57  
Hadley St. Baptist church ..... 5.50  
Lawrence Street Primitive Methodist church ..... 25.20  
A. G. Pollard Co. ..... 25.50  
North Baptist church, North Billerica ..... 165.00  
Congregational church Sunday school, Billerica ..... 108.00  
Total ..... \$333.37

**GIVEN WELL-FILLED PURSE**  
Timothy D. Finnegan, president of the Municipal Employees' union, who recently lost the sight of his right eye by being hit with a piece of flying steel while performing his duties in the city blacksmith shop, was presented on Thursday evening with a purse containing a substantial sum of money contributed by his fellow employees. Mr. Joseph P. Garvey, chairman of the donors, made the presentation at Mr. Finnegan's home, 22 Agawam street. Mr. Finnegan in response thanked and alluded to the generosity and kindness of the Municipal Employees' union, the employees of the city for the past 25 years and is held in high esteem by his fellow employees.

**REPUBLICAN CAUCUS**  
The annual republican caucus for the nomination of candidates for town offices for the town of Tyngsboro will be held at the town hall next Monday evening.



## GERMANY SWEEPING UP HER MINES

Germany under the peace treaty is clearing the seas of the mines she laid during the war. Old mine-layers and U-boats, that laid many of the mines, and revamped torpedo boats are now sweeping up and exploding the mines. Those which cannot be reached at present are marked with buoys. Below is a mine layer setting off an old mine by time clock apparatus which enabled the ship to reach safely before the explosion. Above, sailors are attaching electric wires to a mine-catching torpedo.

## Investigate 3000 Ft. Drop From Airplane

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 19.—An investigation of the fall of a mail airplane near Mendota, yesterday in which Pilot C. E. Eversole escaped injury by a parachute drop of 3000 feet is to be conducted here it was announced today. Witnesses said the plane continued its course with both motors running after Eversole jumped. The jump, postal officials say, was prompted by a desire for publicity. This was denied by Eversole, who said his machine was out of control.

## President of Czecho-Slovakia Ill

PARIS, Feb. 19.—Prof. L. G. Masaryk, president of Czecho-Slovakia, is in a critical condition, says a Prague despatch received here. He is suffering from phlebitis, an inflammation of the inner membranes of the veins.

## Deny Viceroy's Train Held Up

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Reports from Allahabad, India, that a train on which Baron Chelmsford, viceroy of India, was traveling from Delhi to Calcutta, had been held up by extremists, were officially denied here today. It was said the viceroy had been compelled to return to Delhi from near Allahabad.

## Belated Touch of Winter in Southwest

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 19.—A belated touch of winter came to the southwest today. Snow ranging from four to 15 inches was reported from various points in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas, with the storm steadily moving northward. Missouri towns reported lowering temperatures with prospect of snow. Oklahoma City had 12 inches early today with no sign of the storm's abatement. Horticulturists generally were said to be apprehensive as the mild weather of the last weeks has started fruit free buds in some localities.

## Henry Stanford, Prominent Actor, Dead

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The death of Henry Stanford, actor, at his home at Great Hills, N. Y., was announced today. He first appeared in New York in 1900 with Sir Henry Irving and Ellen Terry in "Robespierre." He also appeared here in "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall" and "The O' My Heart." He was 52 years old.

## Goes to Rome to Receive Red Hat

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—Archbishop Dennis J. Dougherty left Philadelphia today for Rome where he will receive the red hat of a cardinal from Pope Benedict.

## Three Made Marshals of France

PARIS, Feb. 19.—The promotion of Generals Louis E. M. F. Franchet d'Esperey, Louis Hubert Gonzalve Lyautey and Mario Emile Fayolle to be marshals of France, was announced today.

## THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE ORGANIZE AGAINST TORTURE

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## Must Cut Into Budget Farther

Continued  
signs of being anxious to climb back on his economy pedestal. He has not expressed disapproval, however, of various proposed salary cuts, including those of the city treasurer's and the city clerk's offices.

**Janitors' High Pay**  
He was not at all troubled, apparently, when the school department representative announced that it proposed to buy several new pianos and increase the already high pay of janitors this year.

It cannot be doubted that the announcement that a committee of the chamber of commerce wished to be present and have a hand in budget making threw something of a chill through the minds of the city fathers. In time of falling costs for all that the city uses, propose by a species of ledgerism to engrave a large increase on the tax rate and do it in such a way that a plausible tale can be cooked up to convince the taxpayers that no other outcome was possible.

Unless the plans of some of the city fathers fail to materialize, the committee of the chamber of commerce will be permitted to appear, unless some one forgets that it has been promised that it shall have a chance to be heard, and the result of its investigations and lamentations, if it makes any, will be about as valuable as a fifth wheel to a coach if policies are not changed.

## Courteous Attention

The plan appears to be to give all that the committee members may have to say very courteous attention, and then when the chamber's representatives have been bowed out into the corridor, there will be a cover smile or two, and the chamber's representatives will be "glorified" in general, and the budget items will be put over in accordance with plan determined in advance.

It is understood to be possible that the chamber's committee will demand that a cut shall be made in wages and salaries paid to city employees that shall be equivalent to the cuts that have been made in private life. It is expected that they will point out that thousands of workers in industry have had their pay cut 25 per cent and that there is no reason why the employees of the city should not be cut to a similar extent.

## A Difficult Position

The members of the council realize very clearly that they are in a difficult position. About the only source of further economy is in a cut in salaries and wages. If a cut is made in these items, such resentment will be raised in city hall as will be the noise and of hubbub proportions. If it isn't made the taxing portion of the public promises to be out in full force next election and ready to hit indiscriminately at any head that had a part in making the salary grab.

## LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.  
To all persons interested in the estate of the late William Curren, late of Westford, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Charles H. Eames, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the eighth day of March, A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on day at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.  
F. M. ESTY, Register.

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omy is that he dropped the grossly exorbitant estimate for the municipal isolation hospital only a few thousand dollars, and failed to state that he had cut any salaries or wages, or that he had chopped off the roll any superfluous employees or had reduced the nepotism that confines several salaries in a single family.

In considering the estimates for the street department, one is reminded of the famous bill rendered to Falstaff in which figured many gallons of sack, but "only two pennyworth of bread."

## For Payment of Salaries

There is item after item for the payment of salaries and wages, but it is difficult to see that any considerable sum of money is allowed for material for the men to work with. Apparently Commissioner Murphy has been so busy fixing up the wage scales that he will keep his associates happy that he will forget entirely that it might be desirable for them to have a few yards of asphalt or a few paving blocks to afford them an opportunity for making at least a bluff of tolling for the city.

The school department has proved the stiffest prodigal in making its demand for an appropriation of \$14,000 higher than the expenditures for last year. In the time when many families are finding it difficult to make both ends meet, and extravagances have been largely cut out, the committee proposes a number of luxuries such as new pianos, and it proposes to raise higher the pay of some of the school janitors who are already, considering their duties, one of the highest paid classes of labor in the employ of the city. With large numbers of men walking the streets of the city, and crowding the corridors of city hall every day, a considerable number of whom are capable of and would be glad to take janitors' places at much lower than the present rate of pay, the committee proposes to raise their pay without a protest.

## Padded the Estimates

The committee has plainly enough padded its estimates to the last possible limit. It has placed its estimates for coal at a ridiculously high price. Its chairman said that all he knew about the prices for books was what book agents had quoted him from their price lists, but that he did not believe that, even in the course of falling prices for most other commodities, book prices would fall.

The item of pay for day school janitors shows an increase in the budget of from \$95,553 to \$123,555.

The salary of the "business agent" is to continue to be larger than that received by the mayor.

It is to cost \$1700 for the payment of the officer, who works only about eight months in the year, and whose duty it is to look after the small boys who occasionally play hockey from school.

## Was At Sea

When the "business agent" was called upon to account for an increase of nearly \$2000 in the item for "repairs" in his department he appeared to be entirely at sea as to what the money was to be spent for or why any increase should be necessary.

About everything that the department might consider a necessity for maintenance of its work appears to be carried under an itemized account, but for good measure the item "all other supplies" is put down as calling for an expenditure of \$41,300 against \$36,293 spent last year. In a time of falling costs for everything, the item "total expense and supply schedule" has been raised from \$110,295 to \$145,500.

## The Registrar of Labor

The office of "Registrar of Labor" has already been referred to in The Sun. The way in which the need for municipal economy presses heavily upon the consciences of the municipal councilors is shown by the way in which the \$700 salary and \$50 for expenses was treated when it was reached.

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in the budget. It was approved without the wink of an eye. No effort had been made to see if the position could not be filled by some clerk already on duty in city hall. The registrar of labor informed a representative of The Sun that the statement previously made in these columns, that he spent only about two hours a week in city hall was not correct; that he spent four hours, and that the rest of the time he "was in his law office."

## Smoke Inspection

When the item for "smoke inspection" was reached, the mayor made the statement in open meeting: "His work doesn't amount to anything. He is a superfluous employee." He got his appropriation, just the same, minus \$15 from the sum asked for.

Perhaps the taxpayer may form the conclusion that the present council is mad with a desire for economy in municipal expenditures. If it is, it may be shown when the total estimates for the year are made known, and it is seen that the costs of running the city government have been brought down to at least the level of last year—a year of much higher costs than the present. There are no indications as yet that any taxpayer need prepare himself for the shock of such a development.

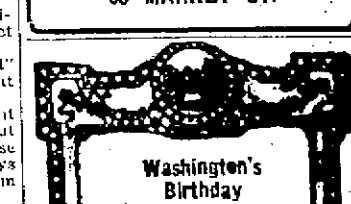


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END SHIPPING  
BOARD PROBE

Congressional Investigation  
Closes With Examination  
of Sec. Payne

U. S. Ships Cannot Compete  
With Foreign Liners Un-  
less Allowed to Sell Liquor

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Congressional investigation of the shipping board ended today with the examination of Secretary Payne, a former chairman of the board, by the special committee. A report on the results of the inquiry, which has been continued intermittently for 18 months, will be submitted to the house before March 4.

Secretary Payne told the committee that when he became chairman of the board after the war, he found accounts in bad shape and that he caused the dismissal of several officials and abolished several offices. He also told the committee that he had caused the provision of the merchant marine act creating a board of seven members. A single executive, he argued, should be placed in control. The provision directing the president to abolish commercial treaties also was attacked.

Mr. Payne said he was convinced that the government could not successfully operate merchant vessels in competition with private shipping interests and also said American passenger lines could not compete with foreign lines unless permitted to sell intoxicants during voyages.

Asked why the accounting of the board had been allowed to get into a tangle, Mr. Payne said: "No executive could devote his time to building up enthusiasm and constructing a workable organization at the same time."

Mr. Hurley (E. N. Hurley) of Chicago, former chairman of the board, was the greatest man that could have been picked for the job," said Mr. Payne. "It was his task to create enthusiasm to sell shipbuilding to the country as a war measure, and he did it."

While the country was being solidified behind the war shipping program, actual building and operation of ships overwhelmed those in charge, Mr. Payne said, adding: "There was no system of accounting; no knowledge of operation; nobody to oversee routine while those in charge were slumping the country."

H. W. Bolling, brother-in-law of President Wilson and treasurer of the shipping board, was before the committee again today to deny charges of irregularities on his part made by Tucker K. Sands, formerly a Washington bank cashier. A. M. Fisher, an investigator of the committee, also testified. He exonerated Mr. Bolling, declaring that a searching inquiry had convinced him there was nothing irregular about private business transactions between Mr. Bolling and Mr. Sands.

Personalities Indulged In  
Continued

The election board the same thing and asked him to tell Mr. Harrison what he had said. Later Mr. McOsker told him that he had delivered the message," said the mayor.

"Harrison admitted that under normal conditions I had never voted a majority of the board," he said. "I voted for him this year because I did not think conditions were normal."

Secretary Woodies came back to the mayor's room with the statement that he had found Mr. Harrison in the office of Commissioner Salmon, where he was thinking the commissioner for the support that he had given him during the contest.

Mr. Woodies delivered the message from Mr. Harrison that he refused to listen to the invitation to visit the mayor's office; that he would not under any conditions be seen inside of it, but that if the mayor wished to see him he would give him a chance to tell all about his life.

At the top of the first flight of stairs election commissioner and mayor met. Although they had been advertising their insatiable desire to meet each other through the morning hours, both of them seemed to prefer to look in the other direction as they passed within a few feet of each other.

Finally Mr. Harrison stopped and stared at the mayor and said: "I want to see you in my office."

U. S. Officer to Form Police Force

SAN SALVADOR, Feb. 18.—The Honduran government has signed a contract with W. G. Stott, a United States army officer, under which he will organize a national police force, says a despatch.

House Debate Special Rule on Tariff

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The house today launched into a long debate on a special rule to give the emergency tariff bill privileged status and hasten it to conference on the senate amendments. Opponents of the measure made a determined fight against the rule but supporters believed the bill would be ordered to conference instead of being referred to the ways and means committee for reconsideration.

900 Immigrants Examined—53 Detained

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Fifty-three more vermin-infested immigrants reaching this city by train were removed today to the Willard Parker hospital for delousing. More than 900 immigrants arriving at steamship piers and by railroad from other ports were examined by city health inspectors during the last 24 hours.

Investigates Destruction by U. S. Marines

SAN SALVADOR, Feb. 18.—Rear Admiral Henry P. Bryan, commanding the United States navy special service squadron, has arrived at Corinto, Nicaragua on his flagship the Dolphin, to investigate the recent destruction by American marines of the newspaper plant of the Tribuna at Managua, says a despatch. It is reported the American marines will be withdrawn to Campo Marte, the despatch adds, only a guard being left at the American legation in Managua.

Held for Robbery of \$149,000

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Chicago police said today they had in custody the man who robbed a messenger for John McKeen, a New York broker, of \$149,000 in money and securities last December. The prisoner, who is known as John Tiernan, and also as John Thompson, denied the charge.

Immigration Bill Amended

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—An amendment to the immigration bill reducing from five to three per cent the number of aliens who may be admitted during the next year, was adopted by the senate without opposition or a roll call.

Tariff Bill Sent to Conference

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—By a vote of 190 to 133 the house today sent the emergency tariff bill to conference on the senate amendments. This is expected to expedite its final passage. Representative Treadway, republican, Massachusetts, reversing his previous position of support for the emergency tariff measure, declared in the house today that the proposed 40 cent tariff on a bushel of wheat would make a barrel of flour cost \$1.80 more "thus paralyzing the buying power in the east to that extent."

He added that a man well informed had told him that the woolen tariff would close every mill in New England.

was plainly in a nervous mood while he discussed the causes—mostly the mayor—of his defeat.

"I am not going to chase after the mayor; if he wants to see me let him come here. I heard several days ago that he had fixed up a job to get me in wrong by bringing me before a bunch of newspapermen and his friends in his office. He didn't put that job over on me, did he?"

"The mayor can't fool me; I am on to his curves. He promised to vote against me and came into this office the day after election, at a time when I was absent and told that he was sorry that I had failed to be elected, and that he was sorry he hadn't been able to vote for me. Let him come down here and I'll show him untruthfulness. He threw me down deliberately and intentionally after telling me the grand support me. I told him I would wait half an hour for him to come down here. I hope he will come; but he won't."

Mr. Harrison waited the full half-hour and then called the mayor's office.

Turning to The Sun representative, after a short exchange of pleasantries over the matter, Mr. Harrison said: "I am sorry that I feel as I do about the matter he will come down immediately. I will wait for him five minutes."

The next five minutes were tense ones. Mr. McOsker sat with care written on his brow in a corner. Usually Joseph employees sat pretending to be engaged in reading the newspaper or looking over volumes of election laws, that were as often as not upside down.

Mr. Harrison looked at his watch at intervals of 15 seconds.

Finally, after about seven minutes passed, Mr. Harrison announced in deep disgust: "He won't come; I knew he wouldn't."

Someone suggested that, as the mountain would not come to Mahomet, Mahomet might go to the mountain.

Commissioner and Mayor  
"I'll see him; I'll see him," burst out Mr. Harrison. "I'll see him in his own office."

Instantly he was on his way up the stairs, the elevator leading to the mayor's office. The elevator had closed or stopped running for the day, and most of the employees had left the building.

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STOCK  
MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Shorts in the stock market today made free use of unfavorable developments affecting oil and sugar. The market was generally unsettled, with a few exceptions. The oil market was particularly unsettled, with a few exceptions. The sugar market was also unsettled, with a few exceptions.

NEW YORK Clearinghouse  
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Exchanges: 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 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## RIALTO THEATRE

Story of "Go and Get It" Newbury at the Rialto—Marshall Neilan's Success, "Dinty," Opens Monday

The characteristic life of the average American newsboy striving in a big city to gain the head of the newspaper and support his widowed mother and sister is faithfully depicted in Marshall Neilan's latest success, "Dinty," which opens a three-day engagement at the Rialto Theatre Monday afternoon. In the leading role is little Wesley Barry, the freckle-faced youngster who has carried laughable parts in the recent newspaper sensation, "Go and Get It," "Daddy Long Legs" and "Don't Ever Marry," and whose talents are more naturally adapted in this latest starring vehicle than any he has undertaken thus far.

In addition to "Dinty," the program for the first three days of the week will carry a First National comedy, "Treasure Garden," a western melodrama, "Felix of the Timberlands," Episode 11 of "Bride 13," which is next to the last of that startling serial, and the Fox news, "For Thursday, Friday and Saturday," the attractions will be Ora Carew in an appealing story, "Mountain Madness," Bernard Durning in "Seeds of Vengeance," a thrilling episode of a new serial picture, "Fighting Fate," which features William Duncan and Edith Johnson, an educational comedy, "A Homespun Hero," and the Fox news.

For Sunday, the pictures will be Elaine Hammerstein in "The Woman Game," Bryant Washburn in "Skinner's Baby," and four acts of high class vaudeville, featuring a well known favorite, Annette Luwick, in songs and specialties.

In producing this human interest story of the newsboy life, Mr. Neilan has surrounded Wesley Barry with an excellent cast of players, including such favorites as Colleen Moore, J. Barney Sherry, Marjorie Daw, Pat O'Malley, Noah Berry, Tony Gallo, Kate Velce, from Wilson and Newton Hall. The balance of the cast includes Walter Chung, a young Chinaman, and Aaron Mitchell, a pickaninny. In the play, the part of Dinty's chums in his fights and pleasures. The latter probably bring more humor and pathos into the picture than anything else.

Many of the remarkable scenes in this picture were taken along San Francisco's waterfront and some remarkable effects in underworld life and poverty stricken homes are said to be effected. David Kesson was the photographer, and Ben Carré, the art director. The picture is released through the Associated First National Pictures.

## B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Paul Decker, Famous Legitimate Comedian, at Keith's Theatre Next Week—Excellent Sunday Concert

Special performances at the B. F. Keith theatre tomorrow afternoon and evening will see the Quivley Four headlined, with Joe Cook, Sam Liebert & Co. and Marion Clare retained from the recent vaudeville tour. The program for the day will include Bert Stoddard, Britt & Mace, and Wright & Anderson. This should prove a specially engaging lineup acts for the day.

Attention is called in this place to the fact that three shows will be given on Washington's birthday (Tuesday), beginning respectively at 2, 4:30 and 8 P. M.

Paul Decker, an admirable light comedian, will headline next week's show with a delightful comedy by Edwin Burke called "The Son of a Gun." Decker was leading man for many seasons for six consecutive seasons, appearing with her in "The Rejuvenation," "The Night Out," etc. He has also appeared with Sam Liebert, May Irwin, Blanche King and James T. Powers. This new act in which Decker appears is written around the fact that successful fathers like to think of the time when they will have their sons for junior partners. Sometimes this occurs, and most often it does not. One of the instances in which it did occur is told in this delightful comedy.

Old Syncope must have had a very large family, for every now and then there crops out a new and very bright member of it. The latest is Dolly Kay, who describes herself as "Syncope's Clever Exponent." Miss Kay is just and pretty and alive all of the time, for this quality of being alive is absolutely necessary if syncope is to be put over successfully.

Morton Jewell & Co. in "Different Things" offer a vaudeville musical song, dance and patter are the parts used for the whole, and two men and two women assist in bringing forward the different good things which are placed on tap.

Sailor Reilly, who used to be an entertainer on the battleship Michigan, is now turning out some of his very best of pianologs. His songs, he characterizes them as being of the

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COMEDY, "THE SLICKER"—NEWS MAGAZINE—TOPICS OF THE DAY

THURSDAY—Mack Sennett's "A Small Town Idol," Doris Keane in "Romance"

SUNDAY—June Caprice in "In Walked Mary"—Connie Talmadge in "Happiness a la Mode"

ters and he plays, and he is always good natured. Billy Aloha is an Hawaiian and with him is a girlie who lives up this very pretty act. The clown seat will be the opener of the bill and Louise and Sterling will present a gymnastic exhibition that is fast and furious.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE  
"A Nutmeg Match" Old New England Rural Comedy Drama, Attraction at Opera House Next Week

The holiday week attraction at the Opera House, beginning with matinee on Monday, will be the grand old New England rural comedy drama, "A Nutmeg Match," which will be given in these parts for the first time at popular prices. The Lowell Players, unquestionably rated as one of the strongest and best stock companies in the east, will find this play an excellent vehicle in which to again demonstrate their unusual accomplishments.

"A Nutmeg Match" is an episode of Connecticut and is a bright, domestic picture of the most natural type, with an infusion of action that is enjoyable, a good dialogue, and possessing a story that is well told. Miss Marguerite Fields, the talented leading woman, whose versatility has long ago been demonstrated to the entire satisfaction of all, will appear in the role of "Cinders," and she should score heavily, while Miss Florence Hill, the clever ingenue will be seen as "Brick," a part that will afford her excellent opportunity to please her many admirers and friends. The others of the cast, including Milton Byron, Maxwell Driscoll, Miss Patricia Knowles, will also be found in congenial roles. Jack Bennett, who will appear in one of the characters, will also direct the production, which fact carries with it every assurance of a finished performance.

The piece has several entertaining melodramatic features, which will be carried through with the same satisfying results of former productions. The most stirring, pulse-quickenng stage sensation of the period is the rescue, by "Cinders" of her lover from the death-dealing blow of the giant hammer.

A big demand has been made for tickets already. Better make early application and thus avoid possible disappointment. Tel. 261. Box office open daily from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Why not place your name on the subscription list? It costs no more.

Julia Arthur and David Warfield appeared in the original cast that produced "A Nutmeg Match."

## THE STRAND THEATRE

"Lure of Youth" and "West Is West" Big Two Feature Program at the Strand First Three Days of Week

For the first three days of the coming week at the Strand the great special, "Lure of Youth," with an all-star cast, and Harry Carey in "West Is West" will be shown in conjunction with a good comedy and weekly while the program for the last three days includes Maurice Tourneur's "The Great Indiscretion," and George Walsh in "The Plunder." Nothing better could possibly be matched up for a bill than these super-productions.

Cleo Madison, the golden-haired player who for several years has been one of the idols of the film world, again graces the screen after an almost continuous absence of a year. Miss Madison appears with an all-star

cast in "Lure of Youth." Luther Reed's villainous drama. In this new picture she returns as a brilliant stage star who figures in a three-cornered love affair that lacks the usual bad man of the "eternal triangle." More than a year ago Miss Madison was the victim of a nervous collapse due to overwork. After a long rest she returns to the screen, refreshed and strengthened. No motion picture has more human appeal than this one. The story will touch the well-springs of your heart. It will carry you to heights of ambition and into the sunlit fields of a great and beautiful love. It is so superbly acted that you will not be conscious that it is art—but rather feel yourself as among the figures in this living, breathing story, sharing their joys and sorrows with them.

"West Is West" in which Harry Carey comes to The Strand for the first three days, is a new sort of a story that will surely find favor with all. The star appears in the role of a plainsman who can shoot, but who doesn't. He accomplishes his ends without the active use of his "irons." The play has all of the satisfying elements that go in the making of a first-class picture story. He is seen in the role of a man who is roped in as a strike-breaker in a mine and his efforts to straighten out the difficulties that follow are indeed interesting. Incidental

ly he becomes involved in a most entertaining love affair that entwines itself with the main theme of the story and has a happy ending. Carey is seen in one of his best parts and the supporting cast is pleasingly assigned.

The Kresler concert will be given at The Strand Monday night. The usual matinee of motion pictures will be given from 1 to 6 p. m.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"The Love Light" for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. Big Double Feature Program for Sunday Concert

Petite June Caprice in "In Walked Mary" will feature the program for the Sunday concert at the Merrimack Square theatre. This pretty little star has made rapid strides in the motion picture world because of her charm and personality. In this drama, she uses all her talent to good effect. Sparkling Connie Talmadge in "Happiness a la Mode" is the second feature on the bill. It is needless to say that Connie does her best in this comedy drama as every picture she makes is just a little bit better than her last.

For Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the coming week, Mary Pickford's biggest and best production, "The Love Light," will be the featured attraction. "The Love Light" is an entirely different story and an absolutely new

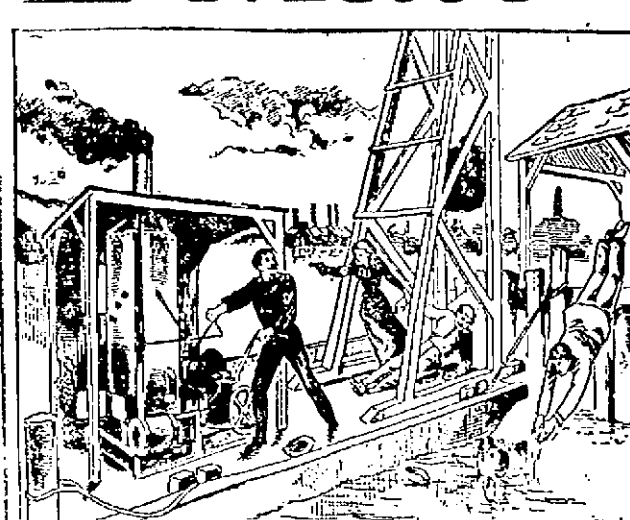
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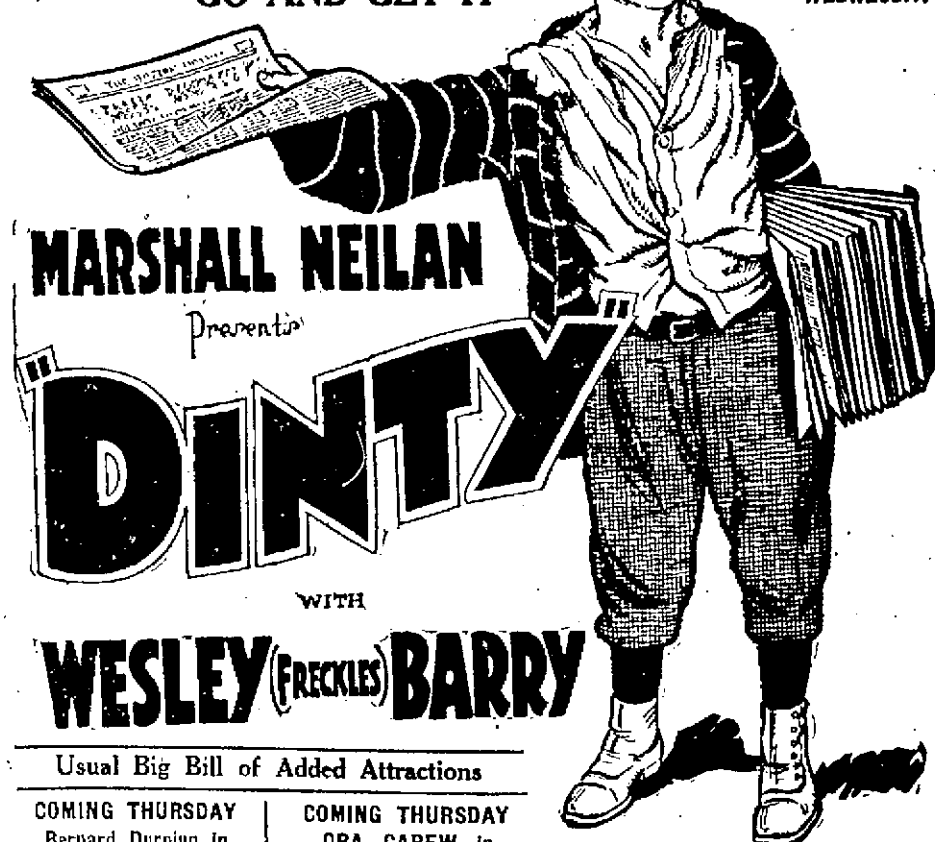
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characterization than anything in which the world's sweetheart has heretofore appeared. Those who saw her recent comedies will certainly enjoy her in her latest production which was written by Frances Marion, who has been claimed as the greatest scenario writer in the country. Mary has discarded the comedy roles and in "The Love Light" she appears in a highly emotional role which has been acclaimed as the greatest role of her career. Miss Pickford has surrounded herself with a cast of unusual excellence and every member is especially adapted to the character given them. Raymond Bloomer has the leading male role and his past experiences in many big stage and screen plays have placed him among the foremost of the stars.

Jean De Brice, who was leading man to Sarah Bernhardt for many years, has an important part, Edward Phillips, Albert Prescott and many others do creditable work. The scene of the story is laid in sunny Italy and Mary has the role of an Italian girl. The story deals with Angela Carloti, who with her two brothers, live in a small fishing town in northern Italy. The two brothers, Antonio and Mario, spend their time fishing and Angela does the work around their little home. Angela is being courted by Giovanni Novella who is held in contempt by the story.

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## B.F. KEITH'S THE AMUSEMENT CENTRE OF LOWELL

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## THE WORRIES OF MR. HARDING

President-elect Harding is in the midst of the troubles and worries of paying political debts, and they are neither few nor insignificant. Had not Mr. Harding thrown himself so unreservedly upon the support of the "best minds," which, when reduced to a political formula, means the republican bosses, politicians and office seekers, his lot at the present juncture would not be nearly so gloomy. But he wanted advice and as a result he has received a surfeit of it. Indeed this became so annoying to him that he voiced his regrets in December that he found himself as he were, at bay between conflicting elements. First of all, the party leaders tell him what he should and should not do, and no two of them agree upon the precise line of policy the president should pursue after March 4. Next come the candidates and the friends who boost them, each urging the appointments of certain men and the rejection of others among those whose names are mentioned in connection with cabinet or other appointments. Thus Mr. Harding is being advised, counseled, directed, consulted ad nauseam in reference to his appointments. Had he been a man who would rely upon his own judgment in the appointment of cabinet and other officials, he would have escaped this source of worry and perplexity.

But the president-elect has many other and greater problems ahead of him and one of the most pressing is the final settlement of the war with Germany. Can he make a separate peace with Germany? We believe not. Can he have an association of nations, the members of which will ignore the League of Nations and join the Harding association? We believe not.

Here then is another problem that will cause the incoming president a vast amount of earnest thought and careful consideration. Mr. Harding, we believe, means to do what is best for the country, but on this point many difficulties confront him.

Added to this is the economic situation which must be met with some progressive policy in order to promote prosperity and industrial peace throughout the land.

For the first year at least, therefore, the position of President Harding will be beset with many difficulties, chiefly coming as the after-effects of the war. That he may be able to meet and dispose of them each and all in a manner that will best serve the interests of the United States will be the earnest hope of every good citizen.

## CANCELLATION TALK

Still the talk of cancellation of war debts among the allies goes merrily on. England is receiving high compliments from France and Italy for having put the question up to the United States and the blame for refusal in these countries will rest upon the United States.

England advanced loans to France, Italy and other nations and finding that she cannot collect them, she wants to have all the debts cancelled so that she will not have to pay her indebtedness of some eight billion dollars to the United States. It is a very ingenious scheme for all the allied powers if they can work it; but American citizens are not likely to stand for it and there is no reason why they should.

Already there is an agitation starting in Italy in favor of cancellation, the chief attention being given to the United States, the charge being freely made that the allies saved us from the German menace for three years before we entered the war and that, therefore, we are indebted to them sufficiently to overlook such trifles as our ten billion war loans. They do not give us any credit for having saved all of them finally from crushing defeat.

Although no representative of these countries has yet favored open repudiation, it would not be surprising to hear talk of that kind very soon if the question be not turned down irrevocably by the United States.

Already three years' interest on our loans is unpaid and now the debtors not only want to evade payment of the interest but the principal also. If we don't agree, it is not at all improbable that a combination of nations will be formed to coerce us into cancellation.

This is the prospect that is looming up before this nation at the present time and it is one that must be met with a firm refusal or it will appear again and again. It seems to be assumed as a result of the new conditions brought about by the war that we cannot maintain a separate national existence as in past years; but those who would rest themselves upon our necks with all the pretensions of friendship are all seeking to get our assistance in the form of cancelled loans, disarmament, trade credits, or some other concessions.

If the allied nations as would appear from some expressions already published, should enter into a combine to coerce us into cancellation of debts, we might find that an unexpected use for a larger navy.

## CUTTING THE ESTIMATES

Thus far the progress made in cutting the estimates by the municipal council is rather disappointing. If reduced figures be allowed to stand, there will be a jump in the tax rate that will spread consternation throughout the city. The work has not been completed and it is too soon to judge, perhaps, but it is known that the commissioners may do before long what they have promised to do. They have agreed to cut down deeply in all departments that they have done. They will have a tax rate that will stagger the owners of property, but a new burden upon local industries and possibly prevent other industries from locating here.

The situation in which our commissioners is fighting to get as much as possible instead of all going to make the appropriations as low as possible is one of the effects

## SEEN AND HEARD

What has become of the old-fashioned bluish?

"Twain Coney at the bar at the charter hearing, all right, all right."

To be or not to be—to get a new charter or keep the old—that is the question.

Petitions for new charters and requests to clean up the city are interpreted by some city fathers to be an invitation to clean 'em out.

Any salesman who can get rid of a boatload of breakfast food in the Canabial Islands ought to be able to sell soap to the Bolsheviks.

## The Wrong Brother

A wealthy gentleman has a brother who is hard of hearing while he himself is remarkable for having a very prominent nose. Once this gentleman dined at a friend's house, where he sat between two young ladies, who talked to him very loudly, rather to his annoyance. Finally one of them shouted a commonplace remark and then said in an ordinary tone to the other:

"Oh, you ever see such an ugly man?"

"Pardon me, ladies," said the gentleman. "Is my brother who is deaf?"

—Houston Post.

## The Poor Man

Lady Visitor (to housewife)—What brought you here, my good man? Convent—Misplaced faith, lady. Lady Visitor—Dear me! In a bad woman, I presume? Convent—No, ma'am; in a hastily borrowed automobile with a bad engine. —Buffalo Express.

## An Eye to Business

In a certain Sunday school on a Sunday afternoon one of the teachers became somewhat faint, and was placed upon a form while the usual restoration were applied. Suddenly a little girl stood up and persistently called, "Teacher! teacher!" in order to attract the attention of one of the boys who was attending to the unfortunate invalid. At last the little one was heard and the teacher, turning around, asked, in a somewhat hasty manner:

"Well, what is it?"

"Please, teacher," replied the child, "my father makes coffins." —Pearson's Weekly.

## National Fish Day

The United States bureau of fisheries moves that you observe Fish day, March 9. All fish dealers second the motion. It is to be a national affair this year, though, hereafter it is to have an international flavor, by joining hands with Canada. The Dominion already has a fish day, the first day of next year. The United States will pick that day, and fish will be the centerpiece of every dinner from Rio Grande to Hudson's Bay. For this is a fish-eating affair. Those who enjoy baiting the hook had jumped at the conclusion that it was to be a day wherein everybody throws off all cares of life and devotes himself to rod and line. Fish day is not like that! On fish day (as they have planned it) you stick to your regular job and eat fish morning, noon and evening. That's all there's to it. It's not a national fish-eating day; it's just a fish day.

## Faint Spot

(Copyright, 1921, by The Lowell Sun) The howlers will tell you there's never a chance.

For chaos will start at the very beginning.

They say that the game's figured out in advance.

And only the fellows with pull will be winning.

That a fortunate few hold the dominant cards.

That the game is for them, and they only receive 'em.

And you'll never share in the goodly rewards.

Well, don't you believe 'em, Boy, don't you believe 'em.

Life's far from perfection, it's plain as can be.

That some people have better chances than others.

The answer is simply, as you must agree.

You'll have to fight harder than you most of your brothers.

But that is no reason that you should be a loser.

With grumblers who whine at the troubles that grieve 'em.

Who say they've no chance with the rest of the throng.

Oh, don't you believe 'em, Boy, don't you believe 'em.

There's room for the fellow who uses his wits.

In playing the game, not in making excuses.

Who trust for his goals and who run out his hits.

Who turn all his strength to his uttermost uses.

Let quitters and squallors sit back and howl.

Their fortunes—while making no need to retrieve 'em.

They tell you, of course, that you're certain to fail.

But don't you believe 'em, Boy, don't you believe 'em!

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## Quarter Century Ago

Just quarter of a century ago the Massachusetts department of the G. A. R. held its convention in Lowell during three days. The old Sun announced the fact as follows:

"Hail to the veterans of the Massachusetts department of the Grand Army, the men who showed their valor on the field and braved every danger in their country's cause."

"They are with us in convention to-day and Lowell extends to them a most cordial welcome."

"The ladies of the relief corps, the wives and daughters of the veterans, are also here and one and all are heartily welcomed to our city."

"This is an ideal convention day. Nature has smiled upon the veterans of the G. A. R. and favored them with the best conditions."

"The convention closed with a grand banquet, at which prominent speakers delivered addresses."

Mayor William F. Courneyer responded for the city of Lowell in a speech full of historic interest, so much so indeed that I feel justified in presenting part of it here for the benefit of the rising generation. He said in part:

"I am proud to say, and I do so without fear of contradiction, that of all the men who went to the war, none were more loyal or patriotic than the soldiers who went from the city of Lowell. To them belongs the proud distinction of being the first to take the field and the last to leave it."

"The first companies to report for duty did so in the city of Lowell and within the hall where we now are. On Saturday, April 13, 1861, President Lincoln issued a call for 75,000 men. On Monday, April 15, the governor called upon the fifth regiment under Col. Jones, to report at once."

"Tuesday morning, April 16, the companies composing the fifth regiment, the most of which were Lowell companies, assembled in Huntington hall, and after listening to patriotic addresses, took the train on their way to Washington."

"It is a matter of history that the first men who were fired upon in the streets of Baltimore, were Lowell soldiers. That was on April 19, 1861. Across the street in front of city hall, there stands a monument, the expense of which was borne jointly by the commonwealth of Massachusetts and the city of Lowell. At its dedication in 1865 an oration was delivered by the great war governor John A. Andrew."

Those who will read the inscription upon it will find that it was in honor of Luther L. Ladd, and Addison O. Whitney, two Lowell soldiers, who were the first to give up their lives in the defense of the Union. In Memorial hall you saw two coats which were pierced by bullets and stained with blood. They were worn by Ladd and Whitney when they fell. Look at the names inscribed upon them, testify for all ages the valor and patriotism of Lowell soldiers."

"The first time the Union flag was fired upon in the hands of a soldier, it was being carried by Timothy A. Crowley, a Lowell soldier, who came from Ireland to make a home in this, his adopted country."

"As the Cumberland was sinking, just as the water had reached the guns, the last shot was fired by John Oates, a Lowell sailor, whose deeds of valor on land and sea have reflected glory upon our city."

"Forever associated with the military glory of our city will be the name of as true a patriot as ever lived, General Benjamin F. Butler. He saved the famous orders making the negro contraband of war. In 1861 he captured Forts Hatteras and Clark."

"In 1862 he co-operated with Farragut in the capture of New Orleans, and was made commandant of the city. He taught the saucy rebels there to respect the Union soldiers and he gave them a reign of law and order such as they never had before and probably never had since."

"One of the youngest, if not the youngest, soldier to volunteer, was a Lowell boy, in the person of Hon. John Welch of Post 42, G. A. R. With a population of about 35,000, between 1861 and 1865 Lowell furnished to the army and navy 682 men at an expense to the city of \$433,216. We are justly proud of the record of Lowell's soldiers and if the occasion should again arise, the citizens of Lowell will be found as they were in the Civil war, the first to defend the Stars and Stripes."

OLD TIMER.

## SENT TO INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Daniel Mills, 15, was taken yesterday to the Shirley industrial school. The boy made his first appearance in police court yesterday in connection with a breaking and entering charge. He and another boy entered a bakery and purloined half a pie. His name was mentioned in connection with another break, but, as it was submitted by another boy exonerated Mills. It was the opinion of the police that the latter was the victim of bad company. His mother, however, asked a nurse him sent to the industrial school.

## DOES YOUR BACK ACHE?

If you are troubled with backaches, it is a bet that they are caused by weak kidneys; they don't perform their duties, and you should look out, as there is trouble brewing.

When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, headache, dizzy spells, and it is more than likely to result in rheumatism.

The urine is often cloudy, full of sediment, your sleep disturbed by being compelled to arise, one or more times during the night, because of the pain, irritation and abnormal condition of the kidneys and bladder.

If you will take from 10 to 20 drops of SEVEN BARKS in a little water after meals, you will correct the alkalinity of your secretions, thus giving you undisturbed sleep and peaceful rest, preparing you for your next day's duties.

When your kidneys are not doing their duty they allow impurities to accumulate and be converted into uric acid and other poisons, which will cause serious trouble unless they are driven from your system.

If you eat meat regularly, you should flush the kidneys occasionally with SEVEN BARKS. A meaty, fatty, acid which clogs the pores, so they can not throw off the poisons.

Don't neglect your kidney trouble with the first dose, you will be sorry if you don't get SEVEN BARKS of your druggist, at a cost of only 50 cents.

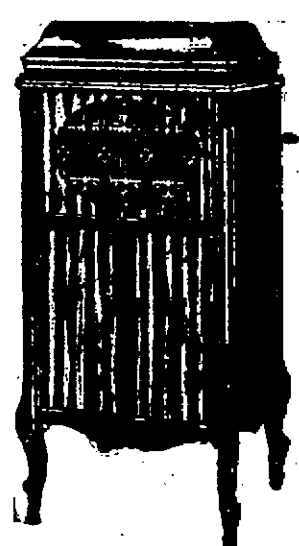
## NOTICE

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 14, 1921. My wife, Panthea T. (Thirza) Lempere, now or formerly of Wilkinsonville, in this Commonwealth, having without cause left my bed and board, I, Evangelos D. Lempere, of the city of Worcester, do hereby give notice, that after the above date I shall not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

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## WILL SPEAK ON ART OF STORY TELLING

Rev. Francis P. Donnelly, S.J., author of several volumes of prose and poetry, will speak on "The Art of Story-Telling" at Associate Hall tomorrow afternoon, under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women. A musical will precede the lecture. "Unfold Ye Portals" will be sung by the church choir. Several solo numbers will be given, and instrumental music will be furnished by the league orchestra.

Rev. Fr. Donnelly has been professor of English at Fordham, Corlinton, Omaha, Holy Cross, and Boston colleges, and has conducted institutes in many of the larger cities. A number of his poems have been set to old melodies, while his patriotic verses were used during the war in the various drives. Among his works are "Shepherd's Thoughts," a book of verse, and "Mustard Seed," an inclusive series of essays.

## EXCELLENT CONCERT

Glee Club of the Girls' Community Service Make Their Appearance in Public and Are Well Received.

The happy spirit of spring, the graceful tilt of the "Spring Song," the quiet reverence of "Starlight," by Marz, the rushing vim of the "Viking Song," and the pleasing sweetness of "An Open Secret," by Woodman, were admirably executed in a concert by the Glee club of the Girls' Community Service club last evening in the Runcles building.

It was the first public appearance of the glee club in public and the large audience present gave due appreciation of its efforts. Special numbers were given by Marion Elizabeth McKnight, soprano, and Belle Harrington Hall, contralto.

The members of the Glee club are: Jessie May Hagar, director; Hilbert Pearson, Bessie Calman, Helen Ward, Diana Massicotte, Mary O'Brien, Rose O'Brien, Anna Foley, Alice Curran, Mary Healey, Ruth Harrigan, Laura Edmunds, Annette Allen, Louise Duval, Mary Murray, Elizabeth Kennedy, Ethel Dixon, Anna Keegan, Lena Hamilton, Della Carty, Catherine Carty and Ivy Farmer.

The program follows:  
Joy of Spring ..... Gehel  
Viking Song ..... Lohr  
Reading, Glad Valentine's Day ..... Doyle  
The Star ..... Rogers  
An Open Secret ..... Woodman  
Starlight ..... Marz  
Viking Song ..... Katherine Taylor  
Reading, The Tongue of Geopie. Kelland

Belle Harrington Hall  
Down in the Forest ..... Ronald  
The Fairy Pipers ..... Brewer  
Will of the Wisp ..... Spross  
Marian Elizabeth McKnight  
Nursery Rhyme Suite ..... Custance  
The Barefoot Trail ..... Wiggers  
Glee Club  
Accompanist, Lillian W. Alford  
Accompanist for Miss McKnight, Marian Clogston Ballie.

## JOBS AT CAMP DEVENS

The United States civil service commission announces that open, competitive examinations will be held on March 1, 1921, at Ayer, Fitchburg, Lowell, Worcester and Nashua, N. H. for filling storekeeper and first grade positions at Camp Devens at salaries ranging from \$1060 to \$1550 per annum. Track foremen are also needed at a salary of \$1325 per month. No written examination is held for this position. For information and the required application apply to the local secretary at the places named above or to the district secretary, custom house tower, Boston. With which the application should be filed in time for him to arrange for the examination.

## RECEPTION TO PASTOR

Rev. Henry Quimby, new pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, will preach his first sermon tomorrow morning and will preach again at 7 p. m. Last evening the congregation tendered a reception to Rev. Mr. Quimby and Mrs. Quimby, three hundred parishioners being present. The Chimesford Ladies' Mandolin club provided music, and refreshments were served by the Ladies' Parish Aid society.

## SAILED FOR ROME

Rev. Bishop Edward P. Allen, D.D., of the diocese of Mobile left Mobile, Ala., last Monday afternoon for New York, from which city he sailed on Thursday for Rome, Italy, via France. The bishop was to have made this visit in 1914, but it was postponed on account of the war. Bishop Allen will make a report to the Vatican authorities on the condition of affairs in his diocese. He has helped them; it has helped them; it surely will benefit you.

Sixty doses in a 50 cent bottle. Ask your dealer, or send for a free sample to the "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Me.

## 10,000,000 Cases of Malaria in Russia

LONDON, Feb. 10.—There are 10,000,000 cases of malignant malaria in Russia, says a Moscow despatch to the Herald, organ of labor, quoting Prof. Martinovsky, an eminent specialist. The mortality is 3 per cent of those stricken by the disease and there are but 5000 pounds of quinine in the country the despatch adds.

## Mills Closed Two Months to Reopen

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 10.—The Scotia worsted mills here, manufacturing men's wear and worsteds, which have been closed for two months, will reopen Monday and operate on full time as soon as possible, according to an announcement this morning. More than 200 persons were employed at the plant when it shut down.

## Special Gillette Safety Razors

We have just received a telegram from the Gillette Co. saying all the razors made for export, and which were offered at a special price, have been sold. We have a few of them left from the large lot purchased by us, and will offer them for one week more at the special prices, viz.:

The \$5.00 Razor at ..... \$3.25  
The \$5.50 Razor at ..... \$3.75

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NOTIE THE DERBY

Paderewski, Polish pianist-statesman, is shown as he arrived in New York for a rest in America. He wore a new derby.

## DEFECTIVE FIVE

A defective five was responsible for a fire at the home of Edward Seaton in Chelmsford Centre yesterday. When the fire, which originated in the oil of the building was discovered, an alarm was sent and the quick response of the department saved the building from considerable damage.

Open and closed commercial bodies for Ford chassis, two car loads just received at C. H. Hanson & Co.'s, Lock street.

## FRATERNAL NEWS

One new member was initiated and one application for membership was received at the regular meeting of Waukegan Lodge, K. of P., which was held last evening. Routine business was transacted and it was announced that next Friday evening the rank of knight will be conferred on several candidates, and on the same evening a buffet lunch will be served and concert numbers will be given by an orchestra.

## Notre Dame Circle

The regular meeting of the Notre Dame de Lourdes circle was held last evening in Sacred Heart hall, East Pine street. President D. L. Lefebvre occupied the chair and routine business was transacted. At the next meeting of the circle an interesting debate will be held.

## DIVISION 8, A.O.U.

At a recent meeting of Division 8, A.O.U., six applications for membership were received and the new members will be initiated into the order at the class initiation which will be held next Tuesday afternoon. The drawing contest organized by the division some time ago was brought to a close and the prize winners were announced as follows: Mr. Finn, Sixth avenue, first prize; M. Coffey, North Billerica, second; Hogan, B.E.M., car shops, third; M. Kiernan, Collinsville, fourth; P. Kelly, inland street, fifth; H. Kelleher, 113 Agawam street, sixth; and T. Quinn, seventh.

## MOTORCYCLE DAMAGED

A Harley-Davidson motorcycle bearing Massachusetts registration, M.C. 2633, was badly damaged in a collision with an automobile at the junction of Moody and Alken streets this forenoon. No one was injured in the mix-up and the automobile received but slight damages. The motorcycle was rounding the corner of Alken and Moody while the automobile was going towards Pawtucketville, when the collision occurred shortly after 10 o'clock.

## Y.M.C.A. MEETING

Bishop Hughes will address Mrs. Meeting at the Y.M.C.A. Sunday afternoon—concert by Quartet. Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, of Boston who traveled through Europe during the war giving talks to the fighting men, will be the speaker at tomorrow afternoon's men's meeting to be held at the Y.M.C.A. at 3:30 p. m. The lecture will be preceded by a concert given by a local quartet under the direction of Rev. Karl P. Meister. Harry P. Lockman, industrial secretary of the Lowell Y.M.C.A., will lead the audience in songs. General Secretary H. P. Howe will be chairman of the gathering, and the ushering will be directed by Osmond Coburn.

## NORTH CHELMSFORD

The first annual concert of the fire department of North Chelmsford was held Tuesday night in the town hall. The attendance was not as large as anticipated, but all present spent a most enjoyable evening. The program included hand selections, vocal selections by Miss Laurette Barry, Miss Mae Ryanne, the Dion sisters, Ernest Ready, piano selections, Paul Angelo and Miss Evelyn Barry. Capt. Jantzen of the local fire department gave an interesting talk on fire fighting. The committee in charge consisted of Geo. Marinet, George Welch, James Kilberd, Jr., and Leo Pope.

## CONTINUE AIR MAIL SERVICE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Without discussion the senate yesterday authorized continuance of the transcontinental airplane mail service from New York to San Francisco via Chicago and Omaha, by adopting as an amendment to the postal appropriation bill a section providing \$1,500,000 for the purpose.

## TOWNSHIPS' ASSESSORS

At a recent meeting of the board of assessors for the town of Tewksbury, Buzzell King was chosen chairman and A. C. Blakely, secretary. The trustees of the public library organized with Albert G. Blakely as chairman and Miss H. G. Lee, secretary.

## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

## Sacred Concert by St. Anthony's Choir Singers

Tomorrow evening in the Opera House a grand sacred concert will be presented under the auspices of the choir singers of St. Anthony's church in Central street. The program is arranged and to be directed by William Gookin will be one of the most elaborate ever offered in a concert of its kind in the city. One of the features will be the singing of music composed by Bishop Da Silva of St. Anthony's church.

The regular choir, itself composed of some of the prominent church singers of the city, has been augmented for the occasion. Those who have attended the special church services at St. Anthony's church, the most recent being on New Year's eve, know what a treat is in store for the auditors at Sunday evening's offering. Bishop Da Silva's second mass is generally recognized as one of the most difficult of church music selections.

The entire chorus will be as follows: Sopranos, Miss Ellen Lynch, Mrs. Evelyn Donnelly, Mrs. Mary Mooney, Mrs. Nora Regan-Longtin; altos, Mrs. Nettie Roberts, Miss Mary Mack, Miss Sadie Sheehan; tenors, Messrs. James King, Charles Panton, John Hartnett, Michael Brennan; baritone, Messrs. Andrew A. McCarthy, William Gookin, Joseph M. Kelly, Fred Cummings, and William Brunelle. The concert program will be as follows:

Regina Terra..... G. Curto  
Chorus  
The Swiss Echo..... Carl Eckart  
Solo—Miss Nora Regan-Longtin  
Stabat Mater..... Rossini  
Chorus  
Culus Animam..... Rossini  
Solo—Mr. James King  
Quis Est Homo..... Rossini  
Duet—Mrs. J. H. Donnelly and Mrs. P. Philip Mooney  
Pro Peccatis..... Rossini  
Solo—Mr. Andrew A. McCarthy  
Inflammatus..... Rossini  
Solo and Chorus—Mrs. J. H. Donnelly  
The Swallows..... F. H. Cowen  
Solo—Miss Sadie G. Sheehan  
O Gloria..... Bishop Da Silva  
Chorus  
(Solos sustained by Miss Ellen Lynch and Joseph M. Kelly)  
Salve Regina..... Rossini  
Duet—Messrs. James King and Fred Cummings  
Credo, Mass No. 2..... Bishop Da Silva  
Chorus  
O Where is Heaven?..... Meltz  
Solo—Mrs. Nettie Roberts  
O Loving Father..... Bishop Da Silva  
Duet—Miss Mary A. D. Mack and Miss Ellen Lynch  
The Kingdom of God, W. Rhyas Herbert  
Chorus

## OUTLOOK NOT BRIGHT FOR BUILDING BOOM

Unless the combination that controls the sale of building materials in New England is smashed, there is no hope for a building boom in Lowell next spring. It is true that prices on certain materials have dropped during the past few months, but the cut was only to offset the increase which became effective since the early part of last year, so that today some of the materials are selling at the same price as they were a year ago, while others have materially increased in price. The new freight increase, which became effective a few months ago is also adding materially to the high cost of building.

Daniel H. Walker, the general contractor in charge of the erection of the new high school, says he does not want to be a pessimist, but as far ahead as his vision can carry, he fails to see any improvement in the building industry and he believes, although he hopes he is wrong, that as long as building conditions remain as they are, there will be no building boom in this city. "Before any important change occurs," he said, "it will be necessary to break the trust that is controlling the sale of building materials in New England. People who are handling lumber, brick, lime and cement are linked into one association and they control the market, and until such time as these people are divorced, the business will be at a standstill."

In reply to a question concerning the price of lumber, Mr. Walker admitted that there has been a noticeable drop in price during the past few months, but he said that was only to offset the increase in price during the last year, so that today lumber is selling at about the same price as it was a year ago. Lime is much higher than it was, while cement has also taken a jump. Brick remains at about the same price, while there has been no change in the price of steel. There is no difficulty in obtaining the materials, he said, but who wants to pay the price?

With the exception of the high school and auditorium there is no big job going on in this city. A few garages are being erected, while perhaps three or four dwelling houses are under way. It is expected, however, that before a great while work of remodeling the Merrimack house will be started, for the architect is now calling for bids. This will be a big job when it gets started and it will mean the expenditure of between \$50,000 and \$75,000, but this is not new work.

Work on the erection of the new high school is progressing rapidly despite the fact that the steel job is at a standstill because of a strike. It will be remembered that several weeks ago the steel workers on the high school and auditorium, who were employed by a Boston steel firm, left their work because of a cut-down in wages and other minor troubles. These men are affiliated with the Boston union of steel workers, while their employers

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are members of the Boston Builders' association. The reduction in wages was voted by the Boston Builders and became effective on every job controlled by the association whether in Boston or elsewhere. The mayor of Boston is endeavoring to settle the grievances, but so far his efforts have proved fruitless.

Contractor Walker says the strike has not interfered with his work in any way and unless the strike should last another month he will not feel it. Mr. Walker says the contract calls for the opening of the school a year from next September, and unless something extraordinary occurs, he hopes to have the building finished before the time limit.

At present 32 bricklayers are busy laying bricks on the third story of the structure, while the first and second concrete floors have been laid. The electricians are close on the heels of the bricklayers, and the carpenters are busy setting in window frames and making forms for the pouring of the third floor. The brick work is about two-thirds completed, and it is expected that by June 1 the roof will be on. The boiler house in French street, which will house the heating apparatus of the old and new school, is nearing completion. There are about 150 men on the job.

Speaking about the unemployed, Mr. Walker said if he were to take all the men who are looking for work and place them inside the new building, he would fill the structure. Every morning and noon there is a long line of men eager to secure employment.

## Lenten Missions

The annual Lenten missions for the married women of St. Joseph's, St. Louis' and Notre Dame de Lourdes parishes, which were started last Sunday, will be brought to a close tomorrow afternoon with special services in each church. The mission at St. Louis' church is being preached by St. Dominic's father of Fall River, while at St. Joseph's and Notre Dame de Lourdes the preachers are Oblate fathers from Cap de la Madeleine, Que. Tomorrow evening special services will be held in each church for the opening of the unmarried women's mission.

## Amusement Notes

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the fisher folk because instead of handling the nets and row boats, he raises flowers for the portmanteau market in Genoa. In time Antonio joins the army of his country and a little later Mario enlists. Giovanni is still at home and Angela voices her contempt at his apparent lack of patriotism; this decides for Giovanni that he should go and he returns blinded. During his absence Angela cares for his garden and also for the light-house keeper's place. One day Angela finds the unconscious body of a sailor who claims that he deserted his ship. The two are later married. How the stranger proves to be an enemy of her country and she sacrifices everything in order to protect not only her neighbors but her enemies is presented in a series of dramatic moments which must be seen to be fully appreciated.

The added attractions on the bill are a big comedy, "The Slicker," News Topics of the Day and the Paramount Magazine.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, a big double feature program has been booked. Mack Sennett's big six reel comedy-drama, "A Small Town Idol" is the featured attraction. This big production has as its star the celebrated comedian, Ben Turpin. He does his best work here. He puts on melodramatic attitudes and burlesques amusingly. "Romance" starring the beautiful actress Doris Keane, is the second big feature on the bill. Miss Keane played in the original play of the same name and in the motion picture production she duplicates her former success.

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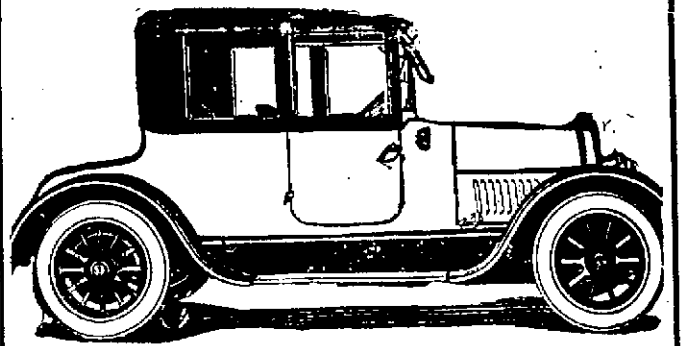
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## DISCUSS PLANS FOR BASEBALL LEAGUE

Representatives of Catholic organizations of North Billerica and Lowell met in Mathew hall, North Billerica, Thursday evening for the purpose of discussing plans for the formation of a baseball league. J. F. Mullen of North Billerica opened the meeting and introduced Thomas J. Tighe of this city as chairman of the evening, while Bernard Tully was chosen secretary pro-tem. All present took part in the discussion and at the close of the meeting it was voted to form a league, which will be composed of eight teams. The next meeting will be held next Thursday evening in Mathew hall, Lowell.

## HALLORAN ESTATE IN PROBATE COURT

Letters of administration have been granted to Mrs. Anne Halloran, widow of Martin W. Halloran, through the probate court at Cambridge, deceased having left no will.

The personal property of deceased is roughly set at \$25,000, although as it may exceed that sum a bond for \$10,000 has been given through a surety company. The next of kin besides Mrs. Halloran, are the brother and three sisters of deceased.

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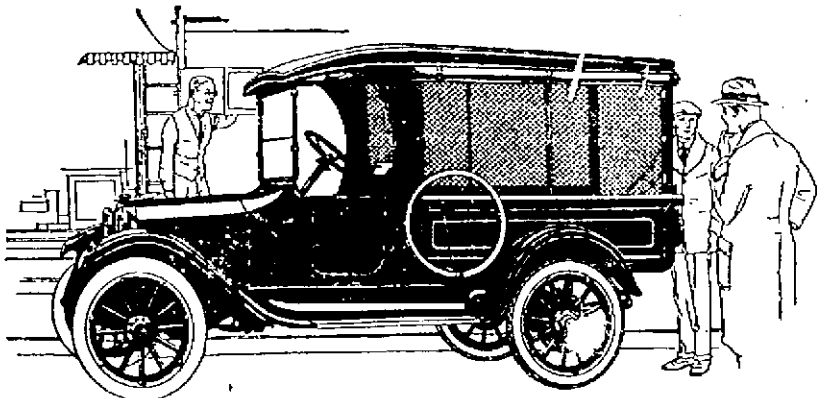
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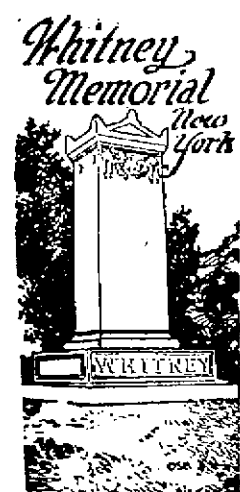
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According to a report published in the Lawrence Telegram, the American Woolen Co., which already operates four mills in that city, employing when on full time, some 15,000 operatives, is contemplating the erection of a fifth mill, probably along the river bank adjacent to the present Washington mill, the oldest of the American Woolen Co.'s Lawrence plants.

**Maintaining a Blacklist**  
MILWAUKEE, Wis.—William Coleman, organizer of the Milwaukee Federation Trade Council, the federation of local labor unions, has announced that criminal action is to be brought against the Milwaukee Institute of Knitted Wear, Room 26, Miller building, Milwaukee, Charles B. Walker, secretary and managing director. Circular letters said to have been written by Milwaukee knitted wear manufacturers and Mr. Walker on employment matters are the alleged basis for the threatened action. Coleman says he has copies of several such letters, indicating a blacklist, but how they were secured was not stated.

**Retail Merchants Buying**  
NEW YORK.—The principal centers report an unusual influx of retail buyers who need goods promptly. Merchants are buying moderately but often. This means that stocks throughout the country are light and that caution is being exercised—a wholesome condition. C. Forbes, in Forbes, Feb. 15, p. 327.

**Price of Clothing and Wages**  
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—Outstanding thoughts expressed today by speakers at the industrial conference being held by the Philadelphia chamber of commerce were that a general improvement in the textile industry is anticipated by April or May and that clothing prices may take an upward turn within the next six months. Magnus W. Alexander, managing director of the national industrial conference board, said in discussing wages, living costs and hours of labor, that he believed clothing prices have almost reached the bottom and that while they may fluctuate a little they may take an upward turn within a six months' period.

Mr. Alexander expressed the opinion that the cost of living will within the next six months decline to a point about 50 to 60 per cent above the 1914 level, and said he would not be surprised if it ultimately dropped to about 40 per cent above that level. Foodstuffs, he thought, will have reached that point by fall. Wages of skilled and unskilled labor will likewise decline, he said, and within a year rates for skilled mechanics will have settled down from 80 cents to \$1.20 an hour to 60 or 50 cents and the rates for unskilled will drop to 40 or 35 cents from the peak of 50 to 60 cents an hour. He said, however, that labor will be better off than it was before the war, because of the greater purchasing power of their wage.

is some kick; so that electricity with that pressure can be sent any distance, as said before, without perceptible loss.

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## Democratic Leader

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stirred up by a few members of congress as to the possible defeat of Speaker Gillett as speaker of the next congress. There seems to be but little substance to the rumors. Of course there will always be opposition to the election of any one man; disgruntled and discontented members of congress are apt to lay at the door of the speaker, the reason for their failure in getting legislative measures put through, and those men start a hue and cry round the ears of some man who would like to succeed the speaker in office. But so far as can be ascertained there is no genuine opposition to Mr. Gillett either on personal or political grounds. He has been fair, able and impartial in his rulings and has a great number of friends on the democratic side of the house who, although they will cast their votes for a democratic speaker, would like to see Mr. Gillett elected rather than a new republican.

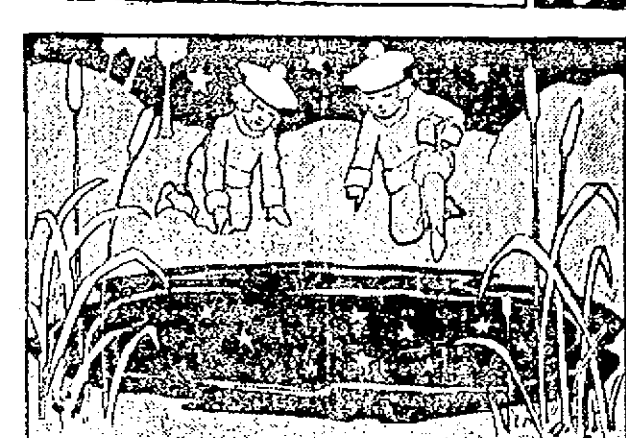
## Athletic Stunts in Congress

It's a pretty safe guess that at least one hundred members of congress did unaccustomed athletic stunts this morning before breakfast, for last night Walter Camp, the famous Yale athlete told them it was unpatriotic to fasten facts like the fact that the new bill for the relief of the sailors and marines would take effect on the 1st of March, or words to that effect, and standing on a big mahogany table in the great marble and crystal chambers of the capitol, Mr. Camp shed his dress coat and vest and went through his famous daily dozen setting up exercises winning converts with every stretch and bend he made. "Him—I'd like to try myself," murmured Kitchener of Nebraska who was out on the far manly debate not long ago, tipping the scales at something over three hundred. "I wouldn't be bad for me" remarked a fellow man from the south who looked up lean and lank over the heads of every one else present. "We ought to have put you through your paces before we listened to your arguments about tariff on clocks," cried Tilson of Connecticut, who is on the ways and means committee before which Camp had appeared as president of the New Haven clock company. He was invited to talk by prominent members and the audience comprised members of congress and their guests. They were enthusiastic over the gospel of exercise as preached by Mr. Camp. When congress came into session little groups of fat men and of thin men admitted they "just made a try of it."

## Hearing on Mr. Rogers' Bill

Hearing on the Rogers' bill to consolidate certain branches of war relief service are now going on before the sub-committee of the interstate commerce committee. Many witnesses have appeared and all endorse the purpose of the bill. Whether or

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS



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not it can be put through exactly on the lines which Mr. Rogers drew up is doubtful, but whatever is done will be largely owing to the efforts of Mr. Rogers to prevent delay in adding disabled soldiers. If the bill fails this session Mr. Rogers will reintroduce it in the spring.

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"Uncertainty as to price conditions will exert a restraining effect, although the preponderance of basic conditions are against cheaper building at tendencies."

"Costs may be marked down here and there as a result of some local or unusual condition, but the general trend is towards sustained prices."

"There are some slight recessions at the time due to inactivity in the industry, depressed times and unemployment, but when extensive building gets up again, prices are likely to strengthen."

"Hence, it seems within the bounds of good judgment that nothing tangible is to be gained by delaying building projects at this time."

"Some efforts have been made to stimulate new building operations by official means, but these have had little or no appreciable effect up to this time. The law of supply and demand is the basis of all economic development, and while it may cease to function for a brief period, it is always the deciding factor in the final analysis."

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Pierre R. Landry to Anna Fudin, Lakewood ave.  
Nicolaos Kazanas to Joseph Bosso, Wall st.  
Robert H. Elliott to Ernest Simard, et ux, Barclay st.  
Ernest F. Wessner, Jr., et ux, to Patrick McMenamin, Plain st.  
Edward A. Deslandes to John L. McDough, et al, Hoyt ave.  
Anselmo Bourra to Omer Lambert, et ux, Sarah ave.  
Arthur J. Bernard to Luciana Theriault, Columbia st.  
Ida M. Hodson to Eliza Salls, Ray st.  
Antonio E. Gonzalez, et al, to Peter J. Lary, Agawam st.  
Paul Vigant to Albert St. George, Dodge st.  
James A. Macauland to E. Gaston Campbell, Wolman ave.  
Mary Louise Swan Haren to Estelle Leland, Cote, Eleventh st.  
Theresa Moore et al, to Alfred Lambert, Chambers st.  
Emma C. L. Fogg, et al, to Esther M. Fitzgerald, Albion st.  
Israel Latham, et ux, to Alexina Desjardis, Sayles st.  
Jennie V. Watson to Elizabeth T. Watson, Lawrence st.  
Loren H. Wainwright to Sabina F. Foley, Gold st.  
William A. O'Malley to Florence C. Donohoe, et ux, School st.  
Marie Louise Langlois to Aurelio Barry, Fourth ave.  
Jacob Pinberg to Fanny Pinberg, Chelmsford st.

**TYNGSBORO**  
Edward Chapman to William Shaw, Wilmington.  
Carrie M. Stetson, et al, to Elmer W. Eaton, Wolman st.  
Constance Emily Syer to Arthur Sondheim, Grove ave.  
Arthur A. Sondheim to Constance Emily Syer, et al, Grove ave.  
Marie Louise Langlois to Aurelio Barry, Fourth ave.  
George A. McCormack to Elmer J. White, Columbus ave.

**DRACUT**  
Wilhelmina M. Currier et al to Adolph Chaput.

**CHELMSFORD**  
Clarence E. Blood to Laura E. Blood, Summit ave.  
Stanley W. Adams to Alphonse Plante et ux.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

**BILLERICA**  
Michael H. Connolly to James W. Connolly, Connolly rd.  
Margaret A. McGow to Alfred Charles Gorman, Hillside rd.  
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Alfred S. Ormsby, Nuttings lake park, at 225-241-243 School street.  
Parcel of investment property includes two three-tenement houses. Each apartment contains five rooms and is equipped with bath, open plumbing, set tubs and hardwood floors. About 6200 square feet of land accompanies both houses.  
Also the sale of the three-apartment property situated at 3-10 Marsh street. This house is of recent construction and contains three tenements with five rooms each, with bath and open plumbing, set tubs and hardwood floors. About 6200 square feet of land accompanies both houses.  
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## BUILDING PERMITS FOR THE WEEK

The building permits issued at the office of the inspector of buildings at city hall during the week were as follows:

To James T. Sparks for interior alterations in the stable at 153-157 Worthen street at a cost of \$450; to Samuel Fudin for exterior alterations at 605 Broadway at a cost of \$28; to Harry Bass for the erection of a garage in the rear of 81 Smith street at a cost of \$400; to Spanos Bros. for the erection of an addition to the building numbered 305 Moody street at a cost of \$500; to the Walcott System, Inc., for general alterations and the building of an addition at 32 Jackson street at a cost of \$5000.

To the S. H. Harrison Co. for the changing of the store front and interior alterations to the Appleton bank building in Central street at a cost of \$18,000; to John T. Lowe for the erection of an addition for a bath and pantry at 35 Bunker Hill avenue at a cost of \$200; to C. C. Witham for the erection of a seven-room house with bath at 14 Fairgrove avenue at a cost of \$3500; to Michael J. O'Boyle for the building of a sleeping porch at 51 May street at a cost of \$75; to Anastasio Kratimenos for the building of an addition for a store at 136 Fairland road at a cost of \$30; to Garabai Elchamalon for the erection of a garage at the rear of 25 Fifth street at a cost of \$25; and to Mary Tinker for the erection of a garage at 11 Elm street at a cost of \$150.

## REAL ESTATE SALES

Edward P. Slattery, Jr., Straud building, reports the following sales made during the past week:

Final papers have been placed on record conveying the property situated at 225-241-243 School street. The parcel of investment property includes two three-tenement houses. Each apartment contains five rooms and is equipped with bath, open plumbing, set tubs and hardwood floors. About 6200 square feet of land accompanies both houses.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully I hereby and represent Maria Kanelopoulos, of Lowell, in said County, who was lawfully married to Antonios Kanelopoulos, now of Omaha, in the State of Nebraska, at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1920, and thereafter, you and I, the said Antonios Kanelopoulos, have been living together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at said Lowell, that your libellant has always been faithful to the bonds of matrimony, and has not been guilty of any act of adultery, but the said Antonios Kanelopoulos, being wholly regardless of the same, at Lowell, Massachusetts, on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of June, A. D. 1920, and on other days thereafter, was guilty of cruel and abusive treatment towards your libellant.

Before your libellant prays that a divorce be granted from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Antonios Kanelopoulos. Dated this eighteenth day of October, A. D. 1920.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts: Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. February 10, A. D. 1921.

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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In Dracut, just over the Lowell line on Lakewood avenue, the land and buildings formerly occupied by the Dracut Manufacturing Company, consisting of 76,000 square feet of land with buildings thereon, as follows:

Large car house and a small building used as a waiting room, all fronting on Lakewood Ave. In the rear is a stable suitable for ten horses, a building formerly used as a warehouse, a wagon shed and a 2-tenement house.

The buildings contain substantially 100,000 feet of A-1 lumber and over 200,000 feet of lumber, plank, roof and side boarding, finished boards, and are well worth the attention of builders who might prefer to use this lumber for other building purposes. Inquiries should be addressed to:

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**NEAR ANDOVER ST.**  
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## TO LET

**6-ROOM TENEMENT** to let, rent reasonable. Apply 67 First st.  
**STORE** to let, large, right; rent reasonable, 432 Lawrence st. Inquire rear of store evenings.  
**FLAT** of 6 rooms to let, all modern improvements. Adults preferred. Inquire 22 Canton st.  
**ROOM** to let, gentleman, large all-wood room, every convenience, no other rooms. Tel. 1638-J.

**SINGLE AND LIGHT** housekeeping rooms to let, in first class condition; electricity. Rent reasonable. Inquire 553 Middlesex street, New York Way House, under new management.  
**TWO ROOMS** and kitchen to let, gas, Tuckers, \$15.00 week. Inquire at 119 Central st.  
**ROOMS** to let in comfortable home of widow, with home privileges, 10 Brick-st. Ave. Tel. 168-M.

**TWO ROOMS** for light housekeeping to let, 181 E. Merrimack st.  
**TEENETTE** to let, five rooms, 47 Lincoln st.  
**SUITE** of 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping in private home with all improvements. Phone 5045. 855 Bridge st.  
**ROOMS** to let for light housekeeping. Front room, also single rooms, with bath, 8 Tyler st.  
**ROOMS** to let; also furnished for light housekeeping, 2 and 3 rooms, 152 Appleton st.  
**TWO FURNISHED ROOMS** to let for light housekeeping. We furnish everything—heat, electric lights. Inquire 18 Fourth st.

**ALL KINDS OF SUITS**, A. M. Barand, merchant tailor, 21 Middle st. Tel. 872.  
**FURNISHED ROOMS** to let, single double and light housekeeping, steam heated. Apply 261 Middlesex st., room 17.  
**ROOM** to let, nicely furnished, steam heated, reasonable prices. Write P-33, Sun Office.

**FOR RENT** new apartment, never been occupied, five rooms and bath, steam heat furnished, open plumbing, gas range, set tubs, hot and cold water, hardwood floors, curtains and accented. Lighted by gas, electricity and city gas. \$30 per month. Apply to Geo. W. Healey, 326 Westford st., Cor. Lane st.

**FOUR-ROOM TENEMENT** to let, electric lights and bath, 26 Fourth st. Phone 3018-R.  
**6-ROOM TENEMENT** to let, bath, hot and cold water, with modern improvements. \$1 per week. Apply 55 Railroad st.

**HELP WANTED**  
**MEN** wanted for Detective Work. Experience unnecessary. Write J. J. McMahon & Co., formerly U. S. Govt. Detective, St. Louis.  
**MEN-Age 17 to 35**. Experience unnecessary. Travel, make secret investigations, reports. Salaries, expenses, American Foreign Detective Agency, 125, St. Louis.  
**MEN** wanted to qualify for firemen, brakemen, experience unnecessary. Transportation furnished. Write A. Scates, Supt., St. Louis.

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**TO YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN** who like to draw, be it known that you can be trained so that you can make from \$250 to \$500 a month. Earn while learning. Designing, newspaper and magazine illustrating, chalk talk and cartooning, poster work of all kinds. For full information address: Sun Office, and where employed, P-33, Sun Office.

**AT ONCE-Five** bright, capable ladies to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers. \$100 to \$175 per week. Railroad fare paid. Write to the one, G. G. G. Drug Co., Dept. 44, Omaha, Neb.  
**FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN**, beginners, \$150-\$200, later \$300 monthly. Write (which position?) Railway, Sun Office.  
**YOUNG WOMAN** wanted as lunch room assistant from 6 to 1, Saturday afternoon and Sunday. Free. References required. Write P-33, Sun Office.

**GLENN'S** (men, women) over 17, for postal mail service, \$125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations, write R. Terry (former civil service examiner) 694 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C.  
**EXPERIENCED MILLINERY** trimmer wanted at once; also maker. G. G. Co.

**TABLE GIRL** wanted. Apply 373 Central st.  
**RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS** wanted, \$135-\$195 month. List positions free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 165-M, Rochester, N. Y.  
**WOMAN FINISHER** wanted on coats, pants and vests; able to make button-holes, room 5, Associate Bldg.

**FOR SALE**  
**PIANO** for sale, new upright, only \$325, at 701 Bridge st. Tel. 3491-S.  
**STRICTLY FRESH EGGS** for sale, 60c dozen, 12 Grove st.  
**BOYS' TRUNKS** Size 35. Price \$15. Boys' custom made suits \$170. Sell for \$15. Write P-19, Sun Office.

**BABY CHICKS**—14¢ each, cash. Safe delivery guaranteed in U. S. Several kinds. Information free. National Chick Co., 729 New York Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.  
**BULLIE** and shepherd pups for sale, others. 90 Lakewood ave. Phone 5574.

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DO IT AGAIN PLEASE, OLIVIA!

I'M GETTIN' TIRED!

CALM YOURSELF, TOM! NOW I AM CONVINCED THAT OUR FORTUNE IS MADE!

SUCH A DISPLAY OF TEMPER! JUST LIKE A CAVE WOMAN!

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IS THAT ALL THERE WAS OF HIM, DOD?

It not as represented, the wood is free.

## BY ALLMAN

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### HIGH SCHOOL BURNED

**\$150,000 Loss Caused by Fire at Stratford, Conn.—Five Firemen Injured**

STRATFORD, Conn., Feb. 19.—Stratford's high school, a three-story brick building with 15 class rooms, was burned today with a loss of \$150,000. Five firemen were slightly hurt.

### TENDER RECEPTION TO FR. FLETCHER

A reception was given to Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., spiritual director of the Holy Rosary sodality, under the auspices of that organization last evening in Sacred Heart hall. Rev. Fr. Fletcher has been in Texas for a vacation and rest, and returned to Lowell a week ago. A most interesting entertainment was given by young people of the parish and a purse of gold, together with a basket of flowers, was presented to Fr. Fletcher. The presentation speech was made by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., and Fr. Fletcher responded with a few well chosen words which expressed his happiness to be back among the people of Sacred Heart parish.



REV. BERNARD FLETCHER, O.M.I.

The entertainment, which evidenced much talent, dramatic and terpsichorean instinct, was directed by Mrs. Maria Doherty, president of the sodality; Mrs. Eugene Sullivan, vice president; Mrs. Mary Louine, secretary; Mrs. Bryan McQuade, treasurer; and Mesdames James Sheehan, James P. Garrity and Isabel Kennedy, aids.

The various numbers were introduced by Miss Isabel Sullivan, while Mrs. William Mooney and Miss Marion McFadden were the accompanists.

The following program was given: Community singing by the audience; Irish jig, "Uranula Hower" and Vincent Cayan, song, "Broadway Rose," Margaret Deane, spring dance, K. Doris Howard; duet, piano and violin, Margaret Doherty and Mary Foley; reading, "Our Friend the Priest," Mary McFadden; paragon dance, Margaret Mooney; song, "Oh, Fashioned Garden," Sadie Kennedy; duet, piano and violin, Frances and Margaret Goggin; Irish jig, Margaret Higgins and Mary Chambers; Highland lilt and skip-a-long dance, Dorothy Mahoney; reading, Katherine Kennedy; piano solo, Elna Shahan; Irish dance, Margaret Mooney; Irish piano, violin, banjo, Ruth McFadden, Helen Lannon and Marion McFadden solo, "The Rosary," Kathleen Jennings. The stage was prettily decorated, and a large audience attended.

**TO BEGIN NIGHT SHIFT**

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 19.—Announcement was made today by the Gilbert & Barker Manufacturing Co., makers of gasoline pumps and tanks, that owing to an increased seasonal demand the 25 employees that have been laid off will be re-employed at once and that beginning Monday a night shift will be put into operation.

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### Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (MORMONS)

Highland Hall—139 Branch St. Preaching at 2:30

### AETNA CLUB

All members are requested to attend meeting

SUNDAY AFTERNOON at 3 P. M.

Per order House Committee, JOHN B. CURTIN, Sec.



### DEATHS

**PENTANA**—Mrs. Joseph Portana died yesterday afternoon at her home, 38 South street, after a short illness, aged 23 years. She leaves her husband, Anthony, and two children.

**EDDIE**—Miss Mary A. Eddie, a well known resident of North Westford, died at her home in the Groton road yesterday, after a long illness, aged 66 years. She leaves one son, Mr. John Eddie, of North Westford, and many friends in North Westford, where she resided for many years.

**WEBSTER**—Mrs. Ellen P. Slavin Webster died last night at her home, 17 Ralph street. She is survived by five children: Anna R.; Frederick L.; James H.; Helen and Mae S. Webster. Three sisters, Misses Mary and Rose Slavin and Mrs. John H. McNabb, and a cousin, James H. Slavin.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

**WEBSTER**—Died Feb. 18, Mrs. Ellen P. Slavin Webster. Funeral will take place Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, 17 Ralph street. Solemn high funeral mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and Sons.

**DOUGLAS**—Died Feb. 17th, in this city, Charles A. Douglas, aged 66 years. The funeral will be held at his home, 913 Moody street. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, at 239 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice, burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

**CONWAY**—The funeral of Mr. John J. Conway will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home, No. 80 Fourth street. There will be a funeral mass at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will be at 2:45 o'clock for the repose of his soul. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

### FUNERALS

**MCCULLY**—The funeral of Anna Rita McCully, daughter of Patience John P. and Katherine (Donoghue) McCully, will take place from the family home, 191 Hale street, and will be largely attended, universal sympathy being felt for the grief-stricken parents at the sudden death of their little daughter. Friends and relatives came from Manchester, N. H., Boston and New York, and a wealth of floral offerings were eloquently expressive of the sympathy of a legion of friends. The pall bearers were all cousins of deceased, Joseph Walsh, James Walsh, Daniel Sullivan, Frank Quinn, W. Joyce Quinn and John J. Donohue. Burial was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of John V. Donoghue and the burial was under the direction of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and Sons.

**KEEFE**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Keefe took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 233 North street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9:30 o'clock a funeral high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. James Sullivan, O.M.I., assisted by the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson rendered the Gregorian mass, the solo being sustained by Miss Frances Keefe and Miss Marie Keefe. Rev. Fr. Johnson presiding at the altar, there was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes and many spiritual benedictions. The bearers were William J. Arnold, Frank Keefe, John Keefe, Patrick Boyle, Patrick Doyle and Richard Buckley. At the grave Rev. Fr. Sullivan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell and Sons.

**MAHER**—The funeral of Mrs. William Maher took place this morning from her home, 112 Gershom avenue, and was largely attended. Solemn high mass of requiem was sung at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. A. Nolin, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Charles Denzil, O.M.I., as decan, and Rev. Fr. William Chellette, O.M.I., as sub-decan. The choir and band, under the direction of Joseph Paradi, who also presided at the organ, rendered the Gregorian chant. The bearers were William Maher, John Maher, John Maher and Ferdinand Tivet. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayer was read by Rev. Fr. Nolin, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

**O'LEARY**—The funeral of Hannah O'Leary took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral chambers of John O'Leary, 239 o'clock, at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough and Sons.

**JOHANNESBURG**—Union of South Africa. Feb. 19.—The Union of South Africa has been elected to the League of Nations, was paid today by Jan Christian Smuts, premier of South Africa, at a League of Nations demonstration.

"Hundreds of years hence, Wilson's name will be one of the greatest in history," he said. "The league, which will be one of the most potent things in the future of mankind, came from the hearts of peoples and embodied inspirations born of the sufferings of the late war."

President Wilson's premier said, was persuaded to the view that the British empire is in reality a small league of nations. He expressed the hope that America would soon adopt its forth in the chronology and re-colonial.

**THE HOVICH FUND**

Contributions by Students of the Lowell Normal School—Miss Fisher addresses Lawrence High Students.

The sum of \$50 was contributed to the Hovich fund for students of Europe by the students of the Lowell Normal school at the close of the recent child welfare exhibit held there. The money was turned over to Mr. Chandler, secretary-treasurer of the fund for this district.

Miss Elizabeth Fisher of the faculty addressed the students of the Lawrence high school during the present week.

Amherst Agricultural college has invited Miss Frances Clark of the geographical department to join the faculty of that institution during the summer season of the present year.

### THE WORLD ALMANAC

The 1921 presidential election returns from every State in the Union as well as the 1920 United States census population figures for every State. And for every place of 5000 or more inhabitants in this country, are contained in the World Almanac for 1921. Past population and past census figures are also in the book, which is a complete work of reference as to the commerce, industry, crops and progress of America and the whole world. The upcoming congress and all important diplomatic and other officials of the government are listed, together with the rulers, population, area and debts of states and cities of the United States, tobacco, wool, silk, cotton, statistics, meat production and consumption; 25-page story of the republican revolution, socialist and other national conventions for 1920.

The sporting and weather records cover many years past. The religious statistics include all denominations. The book contains a complete list of all biographic dictionary, tables of altitudes, postal data, astronomical information, list of American colleges and universities, list of associations throughout the country, the new laws of 1920, the great national highways, law guide, armies and navies of the world, the tariff, summaries of presidential elections from 1836 to date, population, area and debts of states and cities of the United States, tobacco, wool, silk, cotton, statistics, meat production and consumption; 25-page story of the republican revolution, socialist and other national conventions for 1920.

Last year Italy sent us 2,446,669 pounds of lemon peel in bribe for the manufacture of marmalade.

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**CARDIGAN, Wales, Feb. 19.**—Captain Ernest Evans, coalition liberal, who was supported by the prime minister, Mr. Lloyd George, has been elected to the house of commons over Edward Williams, independent liberal in the bye-election held to fill the seat vacated by Matthew Vaughan-Davies who was elevated to the peerage. The vote as announced today, was: Evans, 11,111; Williams, 10,821.

The election was really a test of strength between the premier and those who claim his power of the house and who predict the downfall of the government. The situation in the district was so tense that even Mr. Lloyd George felt impelled to take a part in the campaign.

### HARDING DISCUSSES FOREIGN RELATIONS

**ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 19.**—President-elect Harding laid his uncomplicated cabinet aside for a while today and centered his attention on policies, rather than men.

His consultations during the day concerned chiefly the two public questions which are expected to loom largest before the new administration, taxation and foreign relations.

Important decisions on both of these questions are to be made soon after the change of government at Washington, and today's conferences may have much to do with the exact form of some of Mr. Harding's first official acts as chief executive.

The exact manner in which first steps are to be taken toward formation of an association of nations is believed to have been one of the questions under discussion.

Regarding a taxation policy, Mr. Harding saw Representative Fordney of Michigan, chairman of the ways and means committee and author of the emergency tariff bill passed at the present session of congress. In addition to reporting on general sentiment in congress, Mr. Fordney urged that emergency tariff legislation be the first undertaking of the special session to be called after inauguration.

### Held for Grand Jury

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soda fountain, while that individual himself was standing about 6 ft. inside the door of the store, holding a box or cake in his hand. He was fighting drunk, said the officer, who added that Willitte has a reputation of going to the warpath occasionally. Officer Levan, testifying, said that when he arrived at the scene, he saw a fight in progress between the defendant and a man who was holding a gun. The defendant took the stand and stated that Willitte entered his place of business and threw all the glasses from the soda fountain to the floor. He then hurled a straw-holder of heavy glass at the defendant, cutting his hand, and also striking him in the chest. The defendant has been in the hospital as the result of blood-poisoning sustained from the wound.

He said he seized his gun and warned Willitte to leave the store. But the latter spoke contemptuously with reference to the weapon, and as his pugna- nity continued he fired to obtain help, hitting Willitte accidentally.

Counsel for Doughtak argued that the latter was defending himself from the danger of being killed when he fired the shot. The defendant was defended by a man who was in an intoxicated condition, and passed the case to the higher jurisdiction. Bail, however, was reduced from \$400 to \$300.

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Dr. William O'Brien has gone to Virginia for a short trip. He sailed from Boston this afternoon and expects to return one week from Monday. Dr. O'Brien's office are in The Sun building.

### BIRDS SINGING AND MATING IN NORTH

**BOSTON, Feb. 19.**—Birds are singing, mating and breeding in the north woods. Edward H. Forbush, state ornithologist, said today that the unusual warmth and openness of the winter season, and the birds much earlier than usual. Crowns have been singing for several days in the White mountains and elsewhere in the north country, he said. Mating has begun and several nests of young have been found.

Mr. Forbush said there had been a fairly general movement of birds toward the north. Birds were reported to flock from the Connecticut valley and other points in the tree sparrows are beginning to appear in numbers and the crossbills have swung farthest into the north.

### REQUIEM MASSES

**DONAHUE**—There will be an anti-slavery mass sung Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's church for Patrick J. Donahue.

**MIS**—There will be a monthly mind mass of requiem Tuesday morning, Feb. 22, at 8 o'clock, at St. Patrick's church for Mrs. Minnie.

**STARR**—A monthly mind requiem mass for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Elizabeth Starr will be celebrated at St. Peter's church at 8 o'clock, Feb. 22, 1921, at 8:45 o'clock.

**FIRE ALARMS**

A still alarm was sent in at 7:50 o'clock this morning for a chimney fire at 114 Encliff street, and at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon an alarm was sent in from box 41 for a chimney fire at the old Fair grounds in Gorham street.

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**LONDON, Feb. 19.**—Great Britain's campaign against the Irish republican movement was denounced by the Rev. Patrick Joseph Clune, archbishop of Perth, Australia, upon his return to that city from Europe, says a despatch to the Times. While visiting Ireland, the archbishop had in official negotiations looking to the restoration of peace between the British government and leaders of the Sinn Fein.

"I say with regret and reluctance," he is quoted as saying, "that every infamy perpetrated by Germany during her occupation of Belgium has been repeated in Ireland. A black list of persons who are to be assassinated is placed in the hands of those in the pay of the crown, which is responsible for the this kind of thing. The British government has not achieved its object, but have embittered moderate Irishmen."

Archbishop Clune acknowledged that he had a long and arduous task in reconciling Irishmen from leaders on both sides, and declared that many upholders of Great Britain's policy had felt the pressure of the situation. He said that he had found a way, however, to frustrate such schemes by working in high places.

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signed to the house of correction for three months, and sentence was suspended for one week, to give him an opportunity to correct his habits.

**For Illegal Keeping**

One Louis Bordenau, charged with illegal keeping of liquor, was unable to appear in court this morning and answer the charges against him, being in the hospital for an operation. The case was continued to March 12.

George Asimakas, charged with illegal keeping, drew a \$150 fine. He appealed, and was held in bonds of \$300.

Costas Haginos was the principal witness for the state, testifying that he had received from the defendant the money to be paid later. Men who were drinking with the defendant when the raiding officers arrived on the premises, declared that Haginos came in and announced that his wife was sick. They all advised the defendant to give his wife some liquor at the time.

They were, they said, all members of the same brotherhood, and were enjoying the hospitality of Asimakas, when the donation of liquor was extended to Haginos. Asimakas, Haginos and Haginos, who were drinking with the defendant, were all being dispensed gratis to them by the defendant.

Judge Enright, in imposing sentence, expressed a doubt of the defendant's honesty.

**Real "Junkie" Case**

William Stack, charged with larceny of thirty gallons of Jamaica ginger, valued at \$20, had his case continued to next Saturday in the absence of a material government witness. It was stated that this witness, Paul McCaffrey, had been notified to appear, but had failed to do so.

Judge Enright ordered that he be locked up, so that he might be here next Saturday. Later he appeared in court, and announced that he had overstepped. The defendant, however, had gone. He was allowed to go, with the admonition not to overstep, and the case was continued to next Saturday. A feature of this case is the allegation of the complainant, George Stropoulos, that his own "junkie" after being stolen from him, was resold to him.

### ARGENTINE REFUSES ALLIES' REQUEST

**BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 19.** (By A. P.)—Argentina has refused the request of the allies that she take measures to prevent German exportation of war materials to Argentina in violation of the treaty of Versailles. The government is not concerned in the stipulations of a treaty between other nations.

### IN MEMORIAM

**MARY F. (LAWRIE) DUGGAN**  
February 21, 1920  
Anniversary mass of requiem Monday, Feb. 21, 1921, at St. Margaret's church at 8 o'clock.

### VICTIM OF SLEEPING SICKNESS

**HYOLAKE, Feb. 19.**—Sleeping sickness caused the death today of Catherine Roberts, aged nine. The child had been ill for a month.

### WEATHER PREDICTIONS

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.**—Weather predictions for next week in the North Atlantic states are: Cold, with snow and rain at beginning of week and again Wednesday and Thursday.

### "Watchful Waiting" in Mexico

**MEXICO CITY, Feb. 19.**—A policy of "watchful waiting" at the change of administrations at Washington, has been adopted by the Mexican government, President Obregon told excurionists from San Francisco today when asked to give his views regarding relations between this country and the United States. "I have decided to do nothing for the present," he declared, "and will make no announcement until the new president assumes office."

### Flying Boat Off On Long Flight

**KEYPORT, N. J., Feb. 19.**—The 11-passenger flying boat Ponca Leon left here for a flight to Nassau, Bahamas Islands. She will be made at Saffolo Island, N. C., Miami and Key West, Fla., a Havana.

### RELATES TALE OF OLD INVESTMENT

One of the many cases of inquiries about investments made at the office of the chamber of commerce was brought to light this morning when Secretary-Manager George Wells was visited by an old gentleman seeking information about a concern in which his wife invested \$10 for one share, 15 years ago.

According to the story, this concern was incorporated in 1903 with a capitalization of \$500,000. At the time of its incorporation, the man said, the company had offices on X Street, Boston, and was selling shares at \$10 each. It dealt in coal and one of the features was the fact that its headquarters was in Pennsylvania, which is an important coal-distributing center.

Since investing in the company the investor's wife has not had a word and after 15 years, the husband thought it about time some action should be taken.

Mr. Wells acknowledged that he had never heard of the company, but promised to look into the matter. The investigation service bureau has charge of looking into the schemes of the "painters of beautiful visions of riches" to be obtained through the purchase of certain stocks.

### JOINT MEETING OF A. A. R. I. R. COUNCILS

**Tomorrow evening in Hibernian hall, Middle street, a joint meeting of all councils, A. A. R. I. R. of Lowell and vicinity will be held. The appointed representatives of every council in the city should be present, for important business is to be taken up.**

Reports on the progress of the Irish relief fund will be given to new members to be employed in putting the drive through.

Arrangements will also be made for the district convention to be held on March 4th. Attempts are being made to have councils organized in every section of the congressional districts.

**Irish Relief Fund**

The following letter was received by Michael J. Sharkey this morning:

"My dear Mr. Sharkey: Kindly find enclosed \$50 the offering of the Oblate Fathers of the Sacred Heart, community to help in the relief of the suffering of the poor people in the 'dollar old land'."

"Yours in C & M-I,"  
"JOHN P. FLYNN, O.M.I."

### GIRLS' COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING

Whether or not the Girls' Community club will go by the board or will continue its services with a club membership of nearly 600, will be decided at an important mass meeting to be held in the club rooms in the Hibernian building, this evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Bawita Lawler, club director, will submit her annual report showing the great number of activities in which the club has been engaged the past year. The co-operation of the club members will be found necessary to tide the club over its present period of depression. All members are expected to be present tonight.

At 7:30 o'clock this afternoon on the Legion club bowling alley, Team 3, captained by Mrs. Healey, and Team 4, captained by Ellen Martin, met in a contest. The Community club girls have formed a league of six teams, the winning team of which will meet other club teams of this city.

### JAPAN DEMANDS AN APOLOGY

**PEKING, Feb. 19.**—Demands for compensation and an apology growing out of the bombing of a Japanese consulate by the killing and wounding of Japanese subjects by Chinese or Korean bandits in Hunan last October have been presented to the Chinese government by the Japanese legation.

After the mid the Japanese sent troops into the territory, which is part of Manchuria, under Chinese jurisdiction and the question of their withdrawal has been a subject of discussion between the two powers for several months. All but two battalions have been removed and the Chinese government is refraining from discussing the question of reparations until the remaining troops are evacuated. Counter claims for damages and other satisfaction are to be made by the Chinese government due to depredations by Japanese troops during their occupation of the territory.

### Not a Very Loving Couple

toot me so that he wouldn't lay hands on me again." He put his hands on the door and broke the lock thus gaining entrance.

The testimony of the defendant led to shift the responsibility for the trouble. She broke the plate over her head, he declared, before he had more than pushed her when she insisted that he leave the sink when he was washing himself prior to the event. "Then," he said, "I grappled with her." He denied casting her on the floor, averring that she fell of a box during the tussle. While in prostrate, she kicked him with considerable heartiness, he said, and made an improper remark.

This seems to be a case where it is right after the evidence had been presented, "to be a silly, childish girl." He urged the couple to return to their home, where two of their children are now lying ill with measles and seek to get along in amity. G. intimated that there was no law in the case, and declared to his wife and mother were easy to get rid of him, the mother-in-law was brought out, lives nearby.

Mrs. Gath also evinced a lack of enthusiasm in the matter of reconciliation, and wept as she continued to describe the shortcomings of her husband. Judge Enright, however, did make final disposition of the case, adjourning it to March 19, and agreeing that the pair strive to establish harmony in the interim.

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